



## Club Owners Defrauded, SEC Charges

By JOHN M. PEARCE  
 Associated Press Writer  
 WASHINGTON (AP) — The new owners of the glittering Dunes Hotel and casino in Las Vegas defrauded stockholders in the proxy statement it issued offering to buy the plush gambling spot, the Securities and Exchange Commission has charged.

In a five-count complaint filed Thursday in federal district court in New York, the SEC accused Continental Connector Corp., which bought the hotel last May, and M&R Investment Co., the Dunes' former owner, of employing "devices, schemes and artifices to defraud" and making "materially false and misleading" financial statements to investors and the public.

The American Stock Exchange halted trading in Continental stock hours before the suit was filed. It closed at \$27.38 per share, a drop of 13 cents during the day.

The SEC asked the court for an injunction forbidding Continental, a manufacturer of precision electronic connectors based in Woodside, N.Y., to complete its planned purchase of the Golden Nugget, an older downtown Las Vegas casino, until stockholders are sent accurate financial information.

It also asked the court to order Continental and M&R to change the proxy statements used in the Dunes merger to bring them into line with commission rules.

Continental Connector got Ne-

Peter Lollar, center, is the 1970 State Foster Child for the March of Dimes. He is ten years old and attends Henderson Junior High, Orthopedic Wing, in the 4th grade. He lives in Little Rock with his mother, Mrs. Lani Lollar.

January is emphasis month for the March of Dimes. This year's Hempstead County Representatives are, from left to right,

Mary Ella Impson, Becky Huff, Kelly Eakley, and State TAP Chairman Jim Alford.

Last year's youth from Hempstead County collected \$1200. They received a plaque at the state workshop awarding them for their work.

Activities being planned include a paper drive, workday, bread sale and other various activities.

vada state approval last February to buy the Dunes for \$59 million, and stockholders of both Continental and the Golden Nugget have approved its sale for \$20 million. Both transactions are in stock.

However, a Golden Nugget stockholder, Frank Simmons, had tried unsuccessfully to have the merger delayed until an SEC investigation was completed. The lawsuit apparently resulted from that probe.

In the Dunes purchase, the SEC said, the proxy statement Continental filed was misleading because its financial information was based on a "totally inadequate audit" of the casino and hotel which was certified as accurate in violation of SEC rules.

In addition, the proxy statement misstated Continental's net income for 1967 and failed to disclose the fact that most of the Dunes' income for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30, 1968, came during the spring and summer months.

This omission was compounded, the complaint said, by a statement that "any seasonal aspects of the resort hotel business have been virtually eliminated" because of recent years' increases in convention business.

## Charter Plane Service Called Economical

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—State

Revenue Commissioner Bob K. Scott says the Revenue Department's charter of an aircraft from a flying service in which Gov. Winthrop Rockefeller has controlling interest was the most economical and efficient means for several persons to make a trip to Cleveland, Ohio.

Scott made the statement Thursday in response to a charge by Charles D. Matthews, chairman of the state Democratic party, who said the Revenue Department was extravagant in its expense accounts. Matthews listed several items, including the trip to Cleveland.

Scott said the charge for use of the plane through Petit Jean Flying Service Inc. was \$2,300, but that the flying service had agreed before the flight to absorb all but \$727 of the cost.

## POLL SHOWS (From Page One)

networks for their news analysis following President Nixon's Nov. 3 Vietnam speech, ABC retained Lieberman Research, Inc., of New York to conduct the poll.

Meanwhile, Agnew met Thursday in Washington with representatives of the Radio Television News Directors Association to discuss his criticism of the media.

"Our primary concern was to get across to the vice president the climate his speeches had created," said J. W. Roberts, president of the association. However, he added, "There was not much agreement on either side."

He said Agnew "felt that we are doing too much on what is wrong and not enough on the positive." He said those attending were barred from quoting the vice president.

Roberts said his group told Agnew, who issued no comment after the meeting, that the climate he has created could cause reduced broadcast news coverage of controversial issues. He said the vice president indicated this was not his wish.

## Police Strategy Class Has Christmas Party Works Out in Kidnaping

By ROBERT SHAW  
 Associated Press Writer  
 LITTLE ROCK (AP) — State Police strategy Tuesday in the abduction of Mrs. Margaret Clayton was to stay out of the kidnaper's way until he released his hostage and then spring a network of "silent roadblocks" to ensnare him.

But the kidnaper's final choice of Alma as the site to release Mrs. Clayton, 53, for \$15,000 ransom complicated the plan and no roadblocks went up.

State Police Director Ralph Scott and Asst. Director Bill Miller said Thursday it would have been difficult to apprehend the kidnaper in the Alma area because of the many roads there and the nearness of the Oklahoma border.

Assuming the kidnaper made a dash to escape the area rather than going into hiding, Miller said it wasn't feasible to set up roadblocks at the time police learned of Mrs. Clayton's release Tuesday night.

Scott said authorities never knew the specific whereabouts of the kidnaper car, but presumed the general vicinity from instructions Mrs. Clayton telephoned from the kidnaper to the bank of which her husband is a vice president. The kidnaper made arrangements for Mrs. Clayton's ransom at several locations, but canceled them for unexplained reasons.

Since the safety of Mrs. Clayton was the authorities' prime concern, at no time did State Police try to interfere with the kidnaper's progress, Scott said. "From the very beginning, we were going to sit back and let the transfer take place and then move in," he said.

He knew of no instance in which an officer may have seen the kidnaper car as the abductor drove Mrs. Clayton the 200 miles from her farm home in rural Prairie County in East-Central Arkansas to Alma in Northwest Arkansas. He said police had no description of the car until after the release.

While police units were pulled off Interstate 40, the route Clayton had been instructed to follow, troopers were dispatched to strategic and concealed locations a considerable distance from the "drop" areas.

These were the "silent roadblocks" — Scott coined the phrase — that were to go into action on learning of Mrs. Clayton's release.

Miller said they were stationed in locations that would permit them to seal off an area and "contain" the kidnaper in it even if roadblocks were set up as late as 30 minutes after the release.

"Our procedure in setting up the 'silent blocks' was almost innovative because we were trying to anticipate after the payoff was made," Scott said. "... We were trying to anticipate what the subject might do and improvise techniques to contain him if he did what we thought he might do at the place we thought he might do it."

At one time, 15 separate roadblocks were planned, Miller said.

Fearful that the kidnaper was monitoring their radio network, State Police commanded the movement of troopers by telephone.

Scott said the operation was conducted in cooperation with the FBI and that Al Hogan, the assistant special agent in charge of the Little Rock FBI office, acted as overall commander.



"IT WAS GREAT, here in the Bahamas. 'Til they started the cut-throat bit" in Nassau's straw market, a slightly disgruntled pouch seems to be weighing the merits of a warm subtropical sun and a loss of dignity against snow slush and a dog sitter at home.



## Weather Experiment Sta- tion report for 24 hours ending at 7 a.m. Friday, High 68, Low 44, trace of precipitation.

Forecast  
 ARKANSAS—Clear and cold-er tonight, Saturday sunny and cool. Low tonight in the 20s north to the 30s south.

## Weather Elsewhere

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

	High	Low
Albany, snow	25	20
Albuquerque, clear	37	29
Atlanta, clear	56	45
Bismarck, clear	28	5
Boise, cloudy	46	35
Boston, snow	32	30
Buffalo, snow	30	28
Charlotte, clear	50	31
Chicago, cloudy	39	33
Cleveland, clear	36	33
Denver, cloudy	39	23
Des Moines, cloudy	35	21
Detroit, snow	34	30
Fairbanks, clear	10	1
Fort Worth, cloudy	72	51
Helena, fog	31	29
Honolulu, cloudy	81	69
Indianapolis, snow	37	26
Jacksonville, cloudy	68	41
Juneau, rain	43	32
Kansas City, cloudy	47	29
Los Angeles, cloudy	62	56
Louisville, cloudy	46	29
Memphis, clear	61	34
Miami, cloudy	75	62
Milwaukee, cloudy	32	26
Mpls.-St. P., snow	32	20
New Orleans, fog	69	43
New York, cloudy	34	32
Ola. City, clear	53	31
Omaha, cloudy	34	22
Philadelphia, snow	39	35
Phoenix, clear	70	43
Pittsburgh, snow	34	32
Ptmd, Mo., snow	29	24
Rapid City, cloudy	50	41
Richmond, clear	44	36
St. Louis, clear	46	25
Salt Lk. City, fog	32	29
San Diego, cloudy	64	49
San Fran., cloudy	60	56
Seattle, cloudy	54	44
Tampa, cloudy	69	54
Washington, cloudy	40	34
Winnipeg, clear	24	7

## CONFEREES (From Page One)

families from the tax rolls entirely.

The conferees rejected entirely the cuts in all tax bracket rates voted by the House in favor of giving general relief through an increase in the personal exemption, the form favored by the Senate.

However, the Senate had voted for an \$800 exemption by 1971, a figure which along with the Social Security benefit boost, had brought on threats of a veto by President Nixon.

Thus the conferees moved to meet his objections in part by holding the exemption to \$750 and delaying the final effective date to 1972.

It was reported that Sen. Albert Gore, D-Tenn., author of the tax relief package in the Senate bill, was highly pleased with the agreement.

In spite of his prediction that the conference work would end today, Mills said it was almost certain the compromise version of the bill could not be acted on in both branches until Monday.

It was also understood the conferees finished work on virtually all of the dozens of reform provisions in the bill aimed at tax loopholes.

## Presidential Veto (From Page One)

projects. The bill has another chance in conference.

Ready for floor action were a catch-all \$267 million supplemental appropriation bill and a conference-approved \$1.6 billion military construction appropriation.

In a letter to Senate Republican Leader Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania Nixon said, "I cannot at this critical point in the battle against inflation approve so heavy an increase in federal spending" as in the HEW appropriation. The bill stands at \$1.5 billion more than the President asked.

Nixon did not mention which increases he objected to. Sen. Warren G. Magnuson, chairman of the subcommittee that worked on the bill said he would be glad to go along with the President if he would be specific.

Nixon also suggested the Senate pass immediately a continuing resolution to fund HEW and related agencies until Jan. 30, 1970.

Foreign aid faced trouble on two fronts.

One potential snag was in the \$2 billion appropriation itself which was sheared in the Senate of a \$54 million F4 fighter squadron for Taiwan and \$50 million in special military aid to Korea.

Originally, the House voted the two controversial items into the aid authorization bill which sets spending limits in this area.

House conferees dropped their support of the projects in the authorization conference which reported a compromise bill \$658 million below what the White House asked.

## Hogs to Play at Baton Rouge

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Four Southwest Conference basketball clubs fan out for holiday tournament activity tonight. Arkansas is in the Bayou Classic in Baton Rouge; Baylor is in the Cowboy Classic at Abilene; and SMU is in the Jayhawk Classic in Manhattan, Kan.

The only other SWC team in

action near home is Texas Christian which plays in the Cowtown Classic in Fort Worth, meeting Kansas State.

Texas Tech was dumped by tall Brigham Young in Lubbock Thursday night 88-81.

The Red Raiders gave the towering visitors, who had seven players taller than any Raider, a hard time even though they were outrebounded 65-38.

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## Calendar of Events

### FRIDAY, DECEMBER 19

A Christmas party for pupils of Grade 3 Department of the First Baptist Sunday School will be held at the home of Mrs. M.S. Bates, 1510 South Elm Street, on Friday night, December 19th at 7 o'clock.

Boy Scout Pack No. 62 is having a Christmas Party Friday, Dec. 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the Scout Hut. All boys and parents are invited.

### SATURDAY, DECEMBER 20

The McCaskill RCI will have a Christmas Dinner, Saturday, December 20 at 6 p.m. Everyone is asked to please purchase tickets before December 15, so the quantity can be planned. Contact Luther Spicer or Elmer Wagner.

Grade school and junior high pupils of Mrs. C.C. McNeill will be presented in a piano recital Saturday, December 20 at 2:30 p.m. in the First Presbyterian Church.

### SUNDAY DECEMBER 21

The annual candlelight Joy Gift Service will be held at the Presbyterian Church Dec. 21 at 5 p.m.

### MONDAY, DECEMBER 22

A Christmas party around the Christmas tree at the Heritage Manor Nursing Home will be held Monday, December 22, beginning about 6 p.m. Families of the residents are invited to attend, according to Mrs. Pauline Frazier, manager of Heritage Manor.

### SENIOR CLUB MEETS

The Community Room of the Douglas Building was beautifully decorated, with a Christmas tree as the center of attention, when the Baber-Young-Williams Senior Citizens Club met for their Christmas luncheon on Wednesday, December 10, 1969.

With Christmas music playing softly, the invocation was given by Reverend Thomas S. Simmons. Luncheon was served to 20 members and 6 guests.

Following luncheon, Mrs. N. Jewel Burns called the meeting to order. The roll was called and the minutes of the last meeting were read by Mrs. Ollie Martin.

After a short business meeting, the door prize was awarded Mrs. Alma Parnell. Gifts were distributed to all members and guests.

Reverend Simmons dismissed the group with prayer. The next meeting will be held at 2:00 p.m., January 14, 1970, in the Douglas Building. All members are urged to be present.

### LILAC GARDEN CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Connie Ward and Mrs. J.W. Feild were hostesses for the Lilac Garden Club Christmas luncheon at the Heritage House on Wednesday, December 17. Mrs. L.C. Collins offered the invocation, and a delicious meal was served by candlelight at a table decorated with holly, Christmas balls and red ribbon runners.

The program was presented by Mrs. Herbert Stephens, who gave several legends of flowers and plants as related to Christmas.

mas plus a story entitled "My Son" by Arnold L. Carrie. Gifts were exchanged by 17 members and one guest, a Mrs. Sutton from Florida who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Lella Jordan.

### DEANN CLUB MEETS

The home of Mrs. Trula Coffee was a candlelight vision of loveliness for the DeAnn Lilac Garden Club's Christmas party on December 16. Particularly attractive was the living room mantle that had flickering lights entwined in the display of greenery and berries.

The hostess told a missionary's true story, "Israel's Messiah," and Mrs. Hollis Samuel offered prayer. The president, Mrs. C.B. O'Steen, welcomed the 12 members and two guests, Mrs. Bennie Miller of Dallas and Mrs. Berton Stewart.

A prize for the prettiest wrapped package went to Mrs. Ansley Willett. Gifts were exchanged with Mrs. C.R. Samuel and Mrs. DeVaughn Samuels distributing them.

Holly and red and white rosebuds were seen on the dining table, where assorted sandwiches, cakes and cookies were served with hot drinks.

### Coming, Going

Mr. and Mrs. C.W. Tarpley have gone to Buna, Tex., to spend Christmas with the Kenneth Leslie family.

## STITCHIN' TIME

By JOANNE SCHREIBER

'Tis the season to go all out with sparkle and glitter. To make the most of a high-voltage fashion mood, to be the star that twinkles brightest at the winter parties. Fashionably speaking, it's a vintage year for you ladies who sew. The stores are jammed with opulent fabrics, glorious glitter trims, sparkling buckles and buttons and all the ingredients to turn that pattern into a Wow! power outfit.

Today's fashion suggestion is the perfect example of a sew-easy pattern with important fabric-and-trim impact. Only three basic pieces of black velvet make the little vest to be worn over a classically tailored white silk shirt, plus matching velvet pants, maxiskirt or miniskirt. The trim is made of inch-wide satin ribbon, given a liberal dose of decorative stitching, connected by the sewing experts at Brother Sewing Machines.

To make this sort of ribbon trim, be sure to practice your stitching on a test-strip first. Some zigzag machines will repeat a selected pattern so the spacing is uniform; with simpler machines, it is better to choose a stitch design which is stitched continuously down the length of the ribbon in parallel rows. If the ribbon seems to slip, try backing it with a strip of lawn or organdy and sew through a strip of tissue paper on the right side.

When ribbon is completed, baste it in place on the vest, pleating the ribbon so it rounds the curve smoothly. Using a medium satin stitch, sew the ribbon into position on the vest. Accent with glittery buttons or sequins. It

## Wedding Anniversary



MR. and MRS. DEWARD COLLIER

Mr. and Mrs. Deward Collier, Route 2, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary Thursday, December 25, with an open house, from 2 to 5 p.m., at their home in the Oak Grove community. They were married December 25, 1919 in Hope and have lived here all their married life.

The couples three children will be hosts for the occasion. They are Leon Collier, and Mrs. Raymond Johnson, Carlstad, New Mexico and Mrs. Raymond Huett of Pasadena, Texas.

Friends and relatives are invited to come by and extend best wishes.



## HELEN HELP US!

by Helen Bottel

### WHERE FRIENDSHIP ENDS

Dear Helen: Our neighbors have a son who plays college football. Every Saturday during the season, my husband went with them to the games. Because their two daughters went along, too, there was no room in the car for me. I'm not fond of football, but I WOULD like the right of refusal. Especially when one daughter is 25 single, pretty, and a flirt!

Now that the football season is over, it's ice hockey, or some other sport—an often the parents don't go—just the girls, with my husband as Mr. Nice-Guy escort. He's 36 and looks younger. I'm 34 and keep myself up,

desired.

Make the Indian headband the same way, backing the ribbon with felt to keep it from slipping, and add a short strip of elastic at the back.

The colors used with the



Take a shine to holiday fashion, use bright decorative stitching to turn satin ribbon into a gleaming, glamorous trim for a velvet vest. Add a matching Indian headband wide velvet slacks for a party-going pants suit.

black velvet are orange and gold, with black stitching for accent.

This vest was made from a mix-and-match pattern grouping available exclusively to readers of this newspaper. To order your vest pattern, plus two blouse patterns, send 50 cents with your name, address and zip code to Stitchin' Time, c/o this newspaper, Box 503, Radio City Station, New York, N.Y. Ask for Pattern No. 8285, sizes 8 to 18. Another 50 cents will bring you Pattern No. 8387 for lightly belted slacks in sizes 7 to 15; or you can order Pattern No. 8138 for a mini or maxi-skirt, plus ruffled blouse, also in sizes 7 to 15.

but I'm no match for a 25-year old. Even if I were invited along, I couldn't spend a whole Saturday away from home and kids, and housework. I have an outside job and must clean on weekends. If I had a man to help, the housework wouldn't spill over into Sunday.

People are beginning to talk, although I know my husband doesn't think of this girl in that way—yet! I am beginning to hate week-ends. How can I stop this before it starts something?—SATURDAY CHILLED

Dear S.C.: Why not have a confidential talk with your neighbors—and your husband? But at different times and on different levels. Tell the girl's parents you've heard some talk (though of course you don't believe it...) then plan a special weekend trip.

Dear Helen: Regarding this sex for two (the housework be damned).

Once you break the Saturday chain it may stay broken, especially if you stop looking on weekends as pure drudgery.—H.

Dear Helen: There's a man on our block who is building a boat in which he wants to travel around the world, all by himself. He figures it will take him a year and a half of sailing, and the boat isn't big enough for two so his wife can't go along. Not that any sane woman would want to!

What gets me is, why did this fellow get married if he's so hellbent on being alone? Why is it the "Adventurer" who gets these wild ideas is almost always the married man?—READER

Dear Reader: The answer is self-evident, but not the one you want. I'll pass.—H.

Dear Helen: Regarding this sex education business. It should be left up to the parents. This is such a difficult and sensitive subject that I'm afraid we don't have teachers with adequate training. It would take a very special person to conduct sex education classes in the right way, and few are qualified.—R.D.

Dear R.D.: But all parents automatically ARE qualified to teach this difficult subject? How I wish that were true!—H.

### Thoughts

If, by its patronage in the free marketplace, the public takes to STV (subscription television) on a large scale, then, and only then, will STV succeed. If it does not choose to do so, STV will fail, and you will hear no more of it. Either way, the public should make the ultimate decision for itself.

—Joseph S. Wright, board chairman of Zenith Radio Corp., testifying before House subcommittee on government centers 20th year of trying to decide whether to permit pay-TV.

When you see most of the reservations in this country, Alcatraz looks pretty good. —Adam Norrall, one of the more than 100 Indians spouting on Alcatraz. Is good.

## Bob Thomas at the Movies

By BOB THOMAS  
Associated Press Writer  
HOLLYWOOD (AP) — They started with the death of the "King" and ended with a mass murder.

These were the 1960s, a decade of stress and chance in the movie world. But the Hollywood news during the past 10 years was not entirely somber. It also included the liveliest marital mixup in film history and the election of actors to high political office.

The top Hollywood newsmakers of the decade were Elizabeth Taylor and Frank Sinatra. Miss Taylor dominated the headlines during the first half of the decade. She had created plenty of them in 1959, when she married singer Eddie Fisher after he had left his wife, Debbie Reynolds.

In 1961, Miss Taylor nearly died in a London hospital. She recovered enough to teeter across the stage at the Academy Awards and collect an Oscar for "Cleopatra" the following year when she became enamored of her costar, Richard Burton. It took a year for them to shed their respective mates and marry.

Sinatra was making news in 1962 with his engagement to dancer Juliet Prowse. The engagement was called off because she declined to give up her career to become Mrs. Frank Sinatra.

In 1963, Frank Sinatra Jr. was kidnapped and released unharmed. His three abductors were captured, tried and sentenced. In the same year Sinatra Sr. was required to divest himself of his Nevada gambling holdings because he had entertained a Mafia mobster.

Sinatra took a much-publicized yacht trip in 1965 with his movie friends, including the young star of "Peyton Place," Mia Farrow. Sinatra married the actress, 30 years his junior, in Las Vegas the following year. In 1968 she divorced him.

The "probable suicide" by a sudden overdose of pills of Marilyn Monroe in 1962 shocked the world and brought forth a flood of writings about the futility of fame, Hollywood style. In 1969, the life of Judy Garland ended, also from an overdose of pills.

Actors in politics provided much controversy in the 1960s. Many political observers snickered when tap dancer George Murphy announced in 1964 he was going to run for the U.S. Senate. He ran and won against former White House press aide Pierre Salinger.

Then in 1966 Ronald Reagan, a Republican like Murphy, challenged the incumbent, Edmund G. Brown, for the governorship of California — and won.

The death of Clark Gable in 1960 removed the star who had been acknowledged the "King" of Hollywood films, a title he did not enjoy. After his death, his widow Kay Gable gave birth to the actor's only child, William Clark.

The death of Walt Disney in 1966 was a blow to the millions who had known his genius with fantasy for a generation. Some feared for the future of his entertainment empire, but he had planned carefully. By the decade's end the Disney enterprises were flourishing as never before.

Oscar provided his annual spate of headlines.

In 1961, Jimmy Stewart delivered an emotional tribute to Gary Cooper, and television viewers realized for the first time the seriousness of Cooper's

illness. He died of cancer a few months later.

Sidney Poitier won the Oscar for best actor of 1963, and his victory seemed to symbolize the emergence of the Negro in American life. In 1964, Patricia Neal, whose personal life had been marked by tragedy, was a popular winner as best actress.

The following year she suffered a massive stroke while pregnant, yet managed to recover, give birth to her child and resume her career.

Death removed many famous names from the Hollywood scene in the 1960s.

Among the losses: Charles Laughton, Spencer Tracy, Dick Powell, Jeff Chandler, Jack Carson, Mack Sennett,

Nelson Eddy, Jeanette MacDonald, Stan Laurel, Harpo and Chico Marx, Nat King Cole, Eddie Cantor, Gracie Allen, David O. Selznick, Clara Bow, Buster Keaton, Hedda Hopper, Ed Wynn, Francis X. Bushman, Clifton Webb, Jayne Mansfield, Robert Taylor.

The most shocking news from Hollywood came at the end of the decade with the incredibly vicious murders of actress Sharon Tate and four others at her rented estate in the Hollywood Hills.

## Television and Radio

By CYNTHIA LOWRY  
AP Television-Radio Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Christmas, after all these years, wouldn't seem like Christmas without Bing Crosby singing about that white one. He did it Thursday night.

The singer was host on an NBC special and presented an interesting new singing group—Carol Burnett, Juliet Prowse, Roy Clark (of "Hee Haw") and, of course, Bing.

With network specials arriving almost nightly and most variety specials looking and sounding pretty much like weekly variety series, about the only novelty left is matching up new sets of guest stars.

The combination in the Crosby show was new-to-TV and proved a smooth and happy one. Carol Burnett and Crosby worked very nicely together, and one of the most imaginative numbers had them romping around a deserted department store.

Miss Prowse's and Clark's big number was Spanish in decor and music, and Clark's performance on the guitar was matched by Juliet's dancing.

The whole production was a rich and glittery as a Christmas tree. Yet, the most effective number came at the end when Bing and his guests ran through a medley of top tunes of the past decade—followed, of course, by Bing and "White Christmas."

Bob Hope followed his old road companion with his monthly comedy show, starting as usual with his monologue, notable for a complete absence of Spiro Agnew jokes. There was the usual quota of Washington cracks, followed by some sharp notes on the Indian occupation of Alcatraz and Tiny Tim's nuptials which he described as the biggest social event since "Monty Rock III had his ears pierced."

Hope's guests were Anthony Newley, Andy Williams and Elke Sommer. It was not a particularly bright hour.

Hope did, however, turn serious in the closing moments, asking the public not to permit "the bad to obscure the good" in Vietnam.

He mentioned orphanages and rehabilitation centers for civil-

## Engagement Announced



MARTHA McLELLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Tillman McLelland of Hope, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Martha, to Herb Plumlee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eral Plumlee of Harrison.

Martha is a 1967 graduate of Hope High School and is presently employed by Judge James

Pilkinton in Hope. Herb is a 1965 graduate of Harrison High School and attended State College of Arkansas. He is assistant manager of J.A. West Company in Nashville.

A February wedding is planned in the First Baptist Church in Hope.

## Sporting Club Blown Up for the Movies

PERRYVILLE, Ark. (AP) — A disgruntled caretaker got revenge and The Sporting Club erupted into splinters and shattered stone at nearby Lake Sylvia Wednesday.

It was all part of the making of the Lorimar Productions movie "The Sporting Club." While about 100 persons—most of them members of the movie company, but also some newsmen—watched, the \$200,000 structure of logs and native stone was blown up.

It took some weakening of timbers prior to the blast, plus the explosion of 175 pounds of dynamite, 100 feet of rope explosives, 50 black powder bombs and 10 pounds of flash powder.

The plot of the movie, which could not be released before next September at the earliest, calls for the caretaker to drain a lake beside the hunting lodge and then to blast the lodge itself.

Lake Sylvia, a 14-acre lake administered by the National Forest Service, was drained some time ago.

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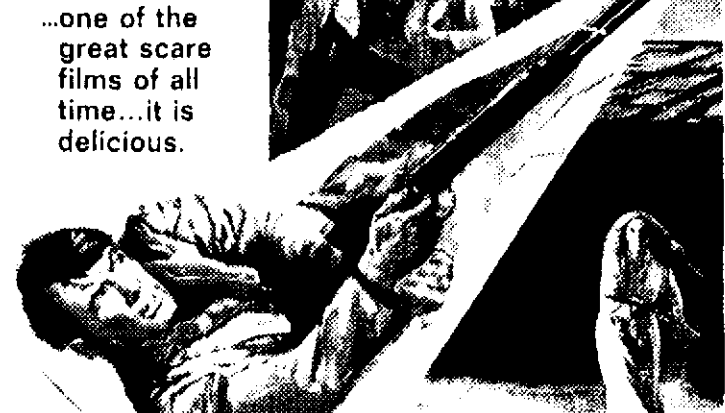
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# Star Sports

## Cardinals Turn Back the Bobcats

By RALPH ROUNTON  
Star Sports Writer

Big Shady Patton and his Al-mighty Fairview Cardinals sharpened their axes last night, and welded the Hope Bobcats a 78-46 setback in the quarterfinals of the Southern State Invitational (Tournament at Magnolia).

Hope had penetrated the outstanding Card defense in the first half for 25 points, while Fairview sacked up 35, but things were different after that.

The loss breaks the Bobcats' four-game winning streak, and Hope now takes the holiday break with a 6-3 record. But even in defeat last night, Coach John Ross's Cats showed that the HHS basketball program is progressing toward the goal of winning participation in 4-A.

Fairview, of course, is undefeated with Patton (6-6), postman Mike Green (6-7 1/2), and football players Lewis Pryor (5-11), Jimmy Harris (6-1), and Johnny Kelley (6-1). Coach Pat Foster has, in short, a worldbeater which still could lose the 4-A title to such surprisers as Magnolia or defending state champ Camden Lincoln.

Patton, likely the best high school basketballer in Arkansas without exaggeration, shone throughout in the Cards' zone defense and was unstoppable inside of 15 feet.

Still, the Hope Bobcats made their stand well in the first half, taking what they could get and stay within firing range. Big men John Dudley and Larry Muldrew had some success rebounding as well as putting points on the board, but most important of all was the few times when Green and Patton had shots blocked by high-jumping Bobcats.

Balanced scoring put Fairview on top 20-12 at the quarter, and everybody expected them to put it away in the second period. They didn't.

Hope got a pair of long baskets by Parker Powell and one of Lee Davis' to help cut into the deficit. Several times it was close as eight points, and with the halftime buzzer the Cards only led 35-25, after having a 47-8 margin at that point in the first round a night earlier.

Foster got his Cardinals to tighten up in the third quarter on defense, respecting Hope's ability to score from the outside. So they double-teamed the man with possession of the ball for the Cats, and that did the job.

After Pryor had bagged 36 points and Patton four, Fairview was rollin' on 45-25 four minutes into the second half. It was never really close again after that, as Hope could not find the shooting percentages of the two nights' previous.

Fairview scored the last 12 points in the final two minutes for the 78-46 spread, and that was that.

Games like last night's will remind the Bobcat players that a four-game winning string does not a winner make, and the workouts should be determined between now and the January 2 home game with Foreman's Alligators, now two weeks away.

HOPE BOBCATS

FG	FT-FTA	TP
Muldrew, . . . 4	6-8	14
Powell, . . . 2	0-0	4
Briggs, . . . 4	1-2	9
Dudley, . . . 5	0-2	10
Davis, . . . 1	0-0	2
Webb, . . . 0	2-3	2
Brown, . . . 2	1-3	5
	18	46

## Fairview Cardinals

FG	FT-FTA	TP
Green, . . . 3	2-3	8
Patton, . . . 9	6-8	24
Pryor, . . . 5	2-3	12
Kelley, . . . 4	0-1	8
Harris, . . . 1	0-0	2
Calahan, . . . 3	4-6	10
Parker, . . . 0	3-4	3
Atkins, . . . 1	3-7	5
Horne, . . . 2	0-0	4
Robertson, . . . 0	2-2	2

## Solunar Tables

The schedule of Solunar Periods, as printed below, has been taken from Richard Alden Knight's SOLUNAR TABLES. Plan your days so that you will be fishing in good territory or hunting in good cover during these times, if you wish to find the best sport that each day has to offer.

DATE	DAY	MINOR	MAJOR	MINOR	MAJOR
Dec. 19	Friday	120	725	135	750
20	Saturday	205	840	220	835
21	Sunday	250	845	305	920

## Beard Wins \$175,223 on Golf Tour

By WILL GRIMSLEY  
AP Special Correspondent  
NEW YORK (AP) — Frank

Beard doesn't let his dander up when they call him Mr. Colorless in golf and say he'd rather win money than a major championship.

"I must be a strange animal — I just don't burn," says the mid-speaking journeyman pro from Louisville, Ky.

Colorless? Color him green. Beard won \$175,223 on the tour last season and topped the money list, upstaging such links capitalists as Jack Nicklaus, Arnold Palmer and Bill Casper. He also had the second best scoring average in the country — 70.32 compared with 70.37 for leader Dave Hill.

On Thursday, the 30-year-old Kentuckian received a couple of handsome trophies as Golfer of the Year for 1969 — an award decided by election of his contemporary pros.

Presenting the trophies, Arnold Abramson, publisher of Golf Magazine, referred to Beard as "the colorless one."

Beard wears spectacles and is cultivating a slight paunch. He appeared for his award party in a conservative gray plaid jacket, dark pants, black tie and white shirt. His hair was short and slicked-down.

He could have passed for a bank clerk at the DeKalb County National.

On the golf course, he is equally unspectacular. He has no wisecracks for the gallery. He seldom smiles. He walks from shot to shot in a brisk, business-like fashion. The most unique quality about him is that he strikes a ball with the consistency of a machine.

"I'm no big joke and joviality man," he said. "I'm in this business to make money — like a man who goes to the office from nine to five every day."

## Cowboys Did Not Go Wrong on Mr. Hill

By JACK HAND  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK (AP) — When

the Dallas Cowboys finally got their first round pick in the pro football draft last Jan. 23 other teams already had made their selections.

"Calvin Hill of Yale," said Tom Hardin, the Cowboys' representative on the scene. Eyebrows popped at 25 other tables.

The Cowboy brass thought of Hill as a tight end, linebacker or even a running back. They couldn't wait to get him to camp to find out. Hill quickly erased all doubts by running over and around the pros in the exhibition season. By the time the regular season started he was firmly entrenched as a regular running back.

Hill has been voted Offensive Rookie of the Year in the National Football League by an overwhelming majority of the 48-man committee from 16 league cities who participated in The Associated Press' poll.

The final total showed 44 for Hill and one each for Larry Brown of Washington and Gene Washington of San Francisco. Two panel members did not vote in the category.

A sore big toe forced the flashy Ivy League rusher to the sidelines when he appeared to have the NFL rushing lead all wrapped up.

Hill still holds second place with 869 yards and one game to go but trails the leader, Gale Sayers of Chicago, by 103 yards. At the present, his main concern is getting ready for Cleveland in the divisional playoff Dec. 28.

In addition to playing football in his college days, Hill set Yale records for broad jump (25-1 1/2) and triple jump (31-5 1/2). He plans to enter the ministry when his playing days are over.

## Some Writers Will Go Into the Stands

By DENNE H. FREEMAN  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
DALLAS, Tex. (AP) — Press

credentialed requests for the 34th annual Cotton Bowl Classic New Year's Day between Notre Dame and Texas are so heavy some of the writers are going to have to sit in the stands.

Wilbur Evans, administrative assistant for the Southwest Conference, said "We've received every bit of 150 requests. We've got only 74 front row seats and we're trying to fit 100 people into those."

"The press box will overflow

## Hockey

National Hockey League  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Thursday's Results

Boston 3, St. Louis 3, tie  
Today's Games  
Chicago at Oakland  
Saturday's Games

Detroit at Montreal  
New York at Toronto  
Boston at Pittsburgh  
Philadelphia at St. Louis  
Minnesota at Los Angeles

Sunday's Games  
Montreal at Boston  
Toronto at Detroit  
Oakland at New York  
St. Louis at Chicago  
Pittsburgh at Philadelphia

## Junior High Girls Even Record

By BILL MOORE

Hitting key shots in the early going last night the Yerger Junior High Kittycats pushed their record to 3 and 3 by swamping the Emmet Eagles, by a score of 50-37, at Emmet.

Taking an early lead the Kittycats led at half 20-17, but were threatened early in the third quarter after Emmet had tied the score 22 all. The Hope girls responded quickly with points by Willis, Coleman and McCain for a 31-25 lead.

Entering the fourth quarter Hope had a 33-29 lead, and from there on the Kittycats went on a scoring spree, with 17 points while holding Emmet to 8.

Janet McCain led the scoring with 23 points, while Earlene Coleman had 13, Bonnie Willis 10, and Julia Brown 5.

Also, outstanding defensive performers were Debbie Crank, Betty Honeycutt, and Judy Reyenga.

In the second of three games, the Hope Ladycats powered their way to a 65-54 victory with a balanced scoring attack.

Through the first half the lead changed hands several times although as the first half ended the Ladycats led by a narrow margin of 28-27.

In the third segment, after a jump shot by Dee Singleton, with 4:02 left, the Ladycats never trailed again. Singleton then reeled off 8 points and Betty Rodden 3 to give Hope a 41-38 lead with one quarter to go.

Emmet closed the gap to two points in the early part of the fourth but then Hope broke away on six straight foul shots by Betty Rodden.

In the waning minutes of the game the Ladycats increased their lead on numerous foul shots and came up with their 2nd victory against 8 losses.

Betty Rodden had 27 points, Dee Singleton 26, and Belinda East 12 for the scoring, and good defensive performances were given by Sharon East, Cindy Hollis, Renee Quillen, and Janice Hobson.

Unable to cope with some outside shooting the Hope B-Lizards fell to a 75-55 defeat in the third game last night, lowering their record to 1 and 1 for the season.

Although taking a quick lead the Hope Boys soon fell behind and found it tough trying to come back. Hope was putting up a good battle, but were trailing at the half, 32-23.

Emmet stretched the lead to 36-23 before Tommy Frazier hit a jump shot early in the third segment. Emmet spread their lead to 56-40 with one quarter left, playing a tight defense with a good scoring pace.

The Lizards edged closer with points by Tim White, Steve Harris, and Bill Rowland before Emmet struck again. The Eagles kept putting points on the board and then let the reserves finish the game.

Tommy Frazier had 16 points, Bill Rowland 12, Steve Harris 9, Tim White 8, Glendon Martin 6, James Bradley and David Chance 2.

The top scorer for Emmet was Muldrew with 20 points.

into the stands. Probably about 50 will be there."

Evans said the requests to cover No. 1 ranked Texas and the ninth-ranked Fighting Irish, who are ending a 47-year ban on post-season play, were even greater than for the 1963 Texas-Navy Cotton Bowl game, a battle between the nation's No. 1 and No. 2 ranked teams.

Sports writers from 23 states will be on hand, including John Mooney of the Salt Lake City Tribune, president of the Football Writers Association.

Woolster last week.

Runners-up to Pinka is 6-1 Isaiah Wilson of the University of Baltimore with a 37.9 average, followed by 6-3 Carl Guarco of Lyndon, Va., State at 34.3.

## Coach Takes Team Off of Court

By KEN RAPPOPORT  
Associated Press Sports Writer

What makes Jack run? Simple, an unruly basketball crowd.

"When they come at you out of the stands, it's time to get out," Coach Jack Magee of Georgetown said Thursday night after taking his team off the floor with 123 left in the first half of a blood-stained college game with Jacksonville.

The action gave the 18th-ranked Dolphins a forfeit 41-26 victory and overshadowed another crackling performance by Pete Maravich of Louisiana State University. Pistol Pete, the nation's leading scorer, fired in 50 points as No. 15 LSU bowed to No. 13 Southern California 101-98.

In some of the night's other top games, South Carolina's fifth-ranked Gamecocks whacked Long Island University 89-52 and No. 12 Purdue spilled Kent State 65-64.

"I'm responsible for 18 people," Magee said after fists flew on the Jacksonville court. "I can't risk having them hurt."

Things began happening when Arthur White of Georgetown decked Jacksonville's Mike Blevins under the Dolphin basket. Shortly thereafter, Blevins followed White down court in an apparent effort to shake hands.

"But someone said something to me," Blevins said, "and I hit the guy."

Then the crowd joined in. Students rolled down from the stands to get into the action. Rex Morgan of Jacksonville ended up at the bottom of the pack and suffered a small puncture near his right eye which bled profusely.

After the melee on the Jacksonville court, someone asked Magee if he'd like to play the Dolphins again next year.

"No, I don't think we'll try it," he said, "not next year. But what happened here tonight doesn't mean we won't work with JU in the future."

Joe Williams, the Jacksonville coach, said his team was wrong in joining the free-for-all.

"That's the last time you'll see a Jacksonville team come off the bench," he said. "Regardless of what happened, our team should not have come onto the floor."

P.S. Artis Gilmore helped the Dolphins' cause, taking down 21 rebounds and scoring 11 points in the abbreviated match.

Southern Cal spurred to an early lead and survived Maravich's 50-point performance to hand the Tigers their first loss in five starts.

The Trojans built a 21-point lead in the first half, and then held off LSU's second half comeback. The Tigers pulled to within a point on a Maravich layup, but Southern California added the clincher on a score by Danny Hester to take a 99-96 lead in the closing seconds.

John Roche, Tom Owens and Tom Tiker combined for 67 points as South Carolina pounced on LSU in the first game of a doubleheader at Madison Square Garden in New York. Calvin Murphy, who ranks second in the nation in scoring, pocketed 27 points as Niagara dumped Rutgers in the nightcap 73-61.

Larry Weatherford put in a layup with 47 seconds to go, giving Purdue its last-minute victory over Kent State. The play was set up when Steve Longfellow intercepted an inbound Kent State pass and batted the ball to Weatherford.

Frank St. Marseille gave the Blues the tie in the third period, just 19 seconds after Jim Lorenz of Boston broke a 2-2 tie with his second goal of the game.

Orr assisted on Lorenz' tie-breaker, giving him a short-lived individual scoring lead over Goyette. But Goyette helped in St. Marseille's scoring effort and drew even again.

Boston took a 2-0 lead on goals by Lorenz and Fred Stanfield.

In the second period, Red Berenson broke the scoring ice for St. Louis, assisted by Gary Sabourin and Tim Ecclestone. It was Berenson's 16th goal of the year.

Ab McDonald, assisted by St. Marseille, then contributed his 16th goal of the season to tie it up at 2-2.

St. Louis came out of the contest with an eight-point lead over Minnesota in the West Division. Boston climbed a notch toward first place in the East to trail New York by two points, shooters.

Despite an 0-5 record, Mississippi College is the team-offense leader with 112.0 points a game. The Choctaws lost their opener to Livingston State 160-146, the highest-scoring college game ever.

Ashland, in quest of its fourth consecutive defensive championship, is tops in that department, yielding only 38.0 points a game.

## Basketball

Thursday's College Basketball  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
East

So. Caro. 89, LIU 52  
Niagara 73, Rutgers 61  
Brown 68, Providence 66  
Buffalo St. 58, Fredonia St. 41

South  
So. Calif. 101, LSU 98  
Jacksonville U. 41, Georgetown, D.C., 26, forfeit 123 left in half

Tulane 59, Miami, Ohio 57  
Lamar Tech 87, McNeese 70  
Roanoke 107, Citadel 67  
So. Miss. 84, La. Tech 81

Midwest  
Purdue 65, Kent St. 64  
Cincinnati 114, Iowa 105  
Illinois 82, Detroit 65

Southwest  
Brig. Young 86, Tex. Tech 81  
No. Tex. St. 98, Arizona 83

Tournaments  
Ill. Loyola Class  
Wichita St. 96, Chi. Loyola 94

Pro Basketball  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
NBA

Thursday's Results  
Chicago 114, Atlanta 112  
Today's Games

Detroit at Baltimore  
Boston at Milwaukee  
New York at Chicago  
San Francisco at San Diego  
Cincinnati at Los Angeles  
Philadelphia at Seattle

Saturday's Games  
Phoenix at Detroit  
Baltimore at New York  
Boston at Atlanta  
Cincinnati at San Diego

Sunday's Games  
Phoenix at Milwaukee  
Chicago at Atlanta  
Philadelphia at Los Angeles  
San Diego at Seattle

ABA  
Thursday's Results  
Denver 108, New York 105, at Kentucky 103, New Orleans 96

Today's Games  
Indiana vs. Carolina at Greensboro, N.C.

New York at Pittsburgh  
Denver at New Orleans  
Los Angeles at Washington

Saturday's Games  
New York at Kentucky  
Pittsburgh at Indiana  
Denver at Miami

Sunday's Games  
Kentucky at New York  
Carolina at Miami  
Los Angeles at Washington

Arkansas Basketball  
By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
College

Southwest Missouri State 80, Arkansas State University 74  
Arkansas AM&N 80, Ouachita 67

Henderson 78, State College of Arkansas 67  
Arkansas A&M 71, Harding 52

High School  
Pine Bluff Tournament  
Pine Bluff 65, Malvern 61  
Dallaway 53, Stuttgart 35

## Bruins and Blues Battle to a Tie

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The St. Louis Blues, leaders of the National Hockey League's West Division, and the Boston Bruins, runners-up to New York in the East Division, battled to a 3-3 tie Thursday night. It was the only NHL match of the night.

Phil Goyette of the Blues and Bobby Orr of the Bruins went into the contest tied for the league individual scoring lead with 41 points apiece. They wound up tied with 42 points each.

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## Kansas City, Oakland Are Favorites

By JACK HAND  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK (AP) — Broad-

way Joe Namath and the New York Jets reach the end of the line this weekend when Kansas City and Oakland figure to make it an all-Western final for the American Football league title Jan. 4.

Kansas City is slightly favored over the Jets Saturday at Shea Stadium and Oakland is a heavy favorite over the Houston Oilers in Oakland Sunday.

The AFL has the big action this weekend while the National Football League closes out its regular season with all four division titles already clinched.

Last week's 11-2 record made it 118-43 for the year. One more last try. All games Sunday unless otherwise indicated.

AFL  
Kansas City 24, New York 20 (Saturday) — The Jets are all souped up with that old Super Bowl spirit but Don Maynard has to remain a questionable factor and both Gerry Philbin and Randy Rasmussen will be playing with injuries. Jim Kearney and Curley Culp only Chief problems. Game should hinge on ability of Chiefs' line to protect Len Dawson and give him time to pick on Jets' secondary. It will take a super effort by Namath against a strong rush that dumped him three times and picked off three passes in 34-16 Kansas City triumph Nov. 16. So far this year, Joe hasn't been super. Maybe the big money will bring it out.

Oakland 24, Houston 17 — Raiders won't let this big one get away after winning west from Chiefs last week. In season opener Raiders beat Oilers 21-17, their fifth straight in the series. Daryle Lamonica will miss Warren Wells, doubtful because of a shoulder injury, but he will be putting that ball in the air. Oilers bank on Pete Beathard, despite slight ankle sprain, speedy Jerry Levis and steady Hoyle Granger to score an upset. Al Davis still wants that Super Bowl win and won't accept any more detours.

NFL  
Minnesota 27, Atlanta 10 — Vikings want 13th straight tie to the Bears' record streak of 1934. It will take a lot of magic by their old boss, Norm Van Brocklin to throw them off stride at this stage. Vikings have to be looking ahead to rematch with Rams next Saturday but they won't overlook perky Falcons.

Los Angeles 21, Baltimore 14 — Rams wrecked the Colts on opening day, 27-20, but are in slump. Count on George Allen to straighten things out before he takes Rams into the snow country for another go at Vikings.

San Francisco 28, Philadelphia 21 — The 49ers have been showing plenty of offense down the stretch while Eagles will be hurting without Tom Woodeshick. Eagle pass defense will

Killebrew was third in the slugging percentages with a .584 average, while Washington's Frank Howard, the 1968 champion with a .552 mark, rose to .574 this year but wound up in fourth place according to official averages released today by the league office.

Killebrew led the league in walks for the third time with 145, while Frank Robinson was hit by 13 pitches to rank No. 1 in that department. Howard grounded into the most forced double plays — 29.

The league slugging percentage was .369, highest since 1967 and 30 points above the 1968 figure.

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Brooks Robinson of Baltimore showed his versatility by establishing or tying records for both slugging and fielding.

The Baltimore veteran set a major league mark by leading AL third basemen in fielding percentage for the ninth year, tied another big league high by leading in assists at his position for the seventh time, and equalling another major league mark for most home runs.

## Raider Wins Individual Lugging Title

By LARRY ELDRIDGE  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
BOSTON (AP) — Reggie

Jackson of Oakland won the American League's individual slugging title this year with a .608 percentage, while Boston edged Baltimore's pennant-winning Orioles in team slugging, .415 to .414.

Jackson, playing only his second full season in the majors, hammered out 47 homers, 36 doubles and three triples among his 151 hits. That gave him 334 total bases in 549 at bats and a 19-point edge in the percentages over second-place Rico Petrocelli of Boston, who had a .589 mark.

The 23-year-old outfielder tied with Minnesota's harmon Killebrew for the league lead in receiving the most intentional bases on balls, 20, and also took the dubious distinction of most strikeouts for the second year in a row with 142.

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# Mission Gets Another Year Guaranteed

PALA, Calif. (AP) — Sales of Christmas cards reproducing crayon drawings by grade school boys and girls—most of them American Indians—have guaranteed the Pala Mission School another year of existence.

"We're so happy," the Rev. Victory Turchetti said Thursday in announcing what he described as "the unexpected sell-out" of 100,000 cards at 25 cents each.

"First, we must pay the bills. But, no, there is no doubt now that the income will help us keep going another year."

The eight-grade school, rebuilt 10 years ago at the 153-year-old Roman Catholic Church mission, serves 190 boys and girls—including 115 Indians—living on or near the Rincon and Pala Indian Reservations of northern San Diego County.

Seven years ago, the priests hit on the idea of sending Christmas drawings by the pupils as greetings to school benefactors. This expanded into the sale of printed reproductions.

The parish sold 56,000 cards last year. It relies for sales on word of mouth advertising, church mailing lists and the parish gift shop for tourists.

This year's designs were made by Mary Olvera, first grade; Stephanie Hernandez, fifth; Lorraine Lawton, eighth; Bernadette Castillo, third; Dale Mancino, fourth and Anthony Gonsalves, seventh.

A fiesta and contributions also help pay expenses.

"We hoped to sell 75,000 cards this year," said Father Turchetti. "Now they're all gone."

"This is indeed a Merry Christmas."

# Flyers Coach Dismissed in Hockey League

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Norman R. "Bud" Polle has been dismissed as general manager of the Philadelphia Flyers of the National Hockey League. The announcement was made Thursday night by Ed Snider, chairman of the board of the club.

# Hope Star

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IT'S IN THE BAG. British actor Peter Sellers dips a hand into a shoulder bag at London's airport. The mod garb was not one of the comedian's famous disguises, but just his casual style while traveling.

# I'm Much Younger Now

By ROGER DOUGHTY  
NEA Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Are you old enough to remember 1959? It must have been a pretty depressing time to be living . . . The Beatles were laying low in Liverpool; Joe Namath hadn't emerged from the wilderness of Beaver Falls, Pa., hair was something the barber chopped off every week, and space had just gotten over being the gap between your Aunt Shirley's teeth.

What a drag.  
Back in '59, people over 30 were trusted, provided they were trustworthy, and grass was something you mowed Saturday morning. Man, it must have been terrible.

Were you there when the world turned the corner on the '60s? Most of us were, I suppose, but something right out of "2001" happened that night 10 years ago . . . suddenly, right there with Guy Lombardo doing his thing on the tube and the big ball coming down, down, down at Times Square, whammo . . . we all started getting younger.

Where were you that magic moment when the world stopped getting old?

I was in a saloon on Railroad Avenue in Elmira, N.Y., 21 days out of the Marines, bearded, crewcutted, very high, plenty confused. Only things I knew for sure were that I didn't much like my date and I hated rock 'n' roll. Man, I was ancient. A mess.

I'm much younger now.  
I've been thinking young for 10 years. What choice have I had?

Sure, I resisted at first. Two, three years, maybe. Then on Dec. 26, 1963, Jack Spector, a disc jockey on WMCA in New York, dropped a record called "I Want to Hold Your Hand" on the turntable and introduced The Beatles to America. I've never admitted this to anyone before, but I liked them right away.

Of course, I wasn't the only one who noticed everybody was getting younger. So many people really were young up until two years ago I found it impossible to believe that there were people walking around who hadn't been born yet in 1945—now I make believe I can't remember Pearl Harbor, which I can't that Madison Avenue noticed almost right away.

Then Time magazine noticed . . . made everybody under 25, the entire "New Generation," their Man of the Year . . . even the girls.

With Madison Avenue and Time endorsing youth, what chance did you have if you weren't young? So, we all got young.

"Television did it," claims Jean Claude Koven. He runs an outfit called Youth Dynamics that tries to keep track of what's in and what's out with the under-30 set.

The first totally TV-teetted generation took over in the sixties," Koven has figured. "They'd been looking at newscasts since they were six or seven and they were tuned in to what the

world was all about; they were aware. They had the information, developed opinions, took responsibility and took possession of the decade.

"There was a complete, 180-degree reversal during the sixties. It became positive to be young or to think young. People like Mary Quant took over the fashion world and young people became a powerful force in the consumer market. To get their money you had to give them what they wanted, so that's what Madison Avenue gave them."

Well, that's part of it. But, like everything else these days, there are a lot of psychological implications in there, just boiling away.

"The way I see it," says Allen Calvin, a psychologist friend of ours who heads the Behavioral Research Laboratory in Palo Alto, Calif., "the sixties was the decade the puritan ethic died in America. Until the dawn of the decade it was still pretty much considered that the proper thing to do was to work hard and put in long hours."

"Up until the sixties our society was dominated by people who could remember the Depression of the thirties. It was a frightening time . . . people were put out of work, their security was wiped out . . . a lot of those people never really recovered. The next generation to come along only saw the Depression as children. They didn't have the same fears their parents had, but they were raised by people who pounded it into them that the thing to do was get a job, work as hard as you could and hang onto that job. The fear was still there, but to a lesser extent."

Which brings us to World War II, which was about as grim as a war can get, but turned out to be good for the economy, as wars have a habit of being.

"Since 1945 we've had nothing but good times," our psychologist continues, "which means we've had 25 years of fun and games. Anybody who was born during that period has never seen bad times . . . they've had a set of experiences unlike any generation before . . . they're leisure oriented, not work oriented."

"It was good to be older in a work-oriented society that provided you were experienced, that you had paid your dues. But in a leisure-oriented society, it's better to be younger, because young people are better at the kind of slam-bang leisure our culture demands . . . surfing and racing sports cars and skiing and zooming around in dune buggies and all the other strenuous things our society looks on as good to do. So those of us who aren't doing have come to emulate those who are . . . both psychologically and physically during the last 10 years. That's how we all got to be so young so old."

But that doesn't mean old folks can't find happiness in our young society. They can, as long as they act young. Which is why we love Frank Sinatra (got to be 50, man

# Oilers Are Legislative Examples

By MIKE RATHET

Associated Press Sports Writer  
NEW YORK (AP) — The Houston Oilers are the prime example of legislated success.

For what the Oilers have been unable to do this season on the field—prove that they are a championship caliber team—was accomplished for them at the conference table when the American Football League decided on the one-year trial of a unique playoff system.

Designed, according to league officials, to guarantee that the best AFL team eventually winds up in the Super Bowl, it also has provided for the possibility that a team that doesn't belong could wind up as the AFL representatives.

That, of course, would be the Oilers.

Unable to put together a consistent offense, the Oilers finished the regular season with a 6-6-2 record and were unable to show a victory over any of the other teams that qualified for the playoffs—Oakland, Kansas City or New York.

Yet, by the magic of the system that qualifies both the division winners and runners-up for playoff berths, the Oilers have a shot at it all, meeting Oakland Sunday in one playoff with the winner taking on the New York-Kansas City survivor in the championship game Jan. 4.

The trouble spot for the Oilers is obvious from the league statistics. There are 10 teams in the AFL. Pete Beathard, the Oilers' starting quarterback, is rated 11th. Finishing his third year with the Houston Oilers, Beathard rarely has lived up to expectations.

Behind him are Don Trull, with many trials and few successes, and young Bob Davis, a relatively untested product despite having been on the scene the same length of time as Beathard.

With the obvious deficiencies at quarterback, the Oilers rely heavily on ball control. They led the league in that department with a trio of strong rushers, Hoyle Granger, Roy Hopkins and Woody Campbell, back after a tour of duty in Vietnam.

At the same time, the Oilers have relied on a plodding offense they have unveiled a rookie sensation in 5-foot-10, 175-pound Jerry Levias, who has been a threat to go all the way at any time either on a pass reception or while returning a kick.

But despite Levias' rapid development, the Houston offense does leave something to be desired, placing the burden on the strong defense to compensate. It has, at times, but it is a burden that can not always be borne without breaking down.

The ends are solid in veteran Pat Holmes and rapidly-developing sophomore Elvin Bethea. Carel Stith and Tom Dromes man the tackles with George Webster the standout on a line-backing corps that includes Garland Boyette and Olen Underwood.

The defensive secondary has a proven standout in Miller Farr, plus Zeke Morre, Johnny Peacock and Ken Houston, who has the credentials for stardom.

What are the Oilers' chances against the AFL's Big Three? Realistically, not very good. Off their record and their performance, the Oilers do not belong. But as long as they belong, they have a chance. They do, however, have to be considered extreme longshots.

but he swings, baby, he swings) and Pancho Gonzales (#1, but still playing great tennis). But if Frank ever starts acting his age or Pancho can't hold his own with all those 19-year-old kids from Australia, well, we'll just have to take away their Pepsi and write 'em off.

Lombardo's still around, you know. Doesn't sell records the way The Stones do, but he's in big demand at least once a year.  
I think I hear him warming up now. Sounds just like he did back in '59.

# today's FUNNY



# Television Logs Friday Night

6:00	Travel Film	2
	Truth or Consequences	3
	News, Weather, Sports	4-6-7-11-12 (C)
6:30	Christmas Special	2
	Let's Make A Deal	3-7 (C)
	The Sahara	4-6 (C)
	Get Smart	11-12 (C)
7:00	World of Music	2
	Brady Bunch	3-7 (C)
	Good Guys	11-12 (C)
7:30	Children Growing	2
	Mr. Deeds	3-7 (C)
	Name of the Game	4-6 (C)
	Hogan's Heroes	11-12 (C)
8:00	French Chef	2
	Here Come The Brides	3-7 (C)
	Movie	11 (C)
	"Seven Brides for Seven Brothers"	12 (C)
	"The Castilian"	12 (C)
8:30	Book Beat	2
9:00	Net Playhouse	2
	Durante-Lennons	3-7 (C)
	Bracken's World	4-6 (C)
10:00	News, Weather, Sports	3-4-6-7-11-12 (C)
10:30	Movie	3

# Saturday Morning

6:00	Sunrise Semester	11 (C)
6:10	Morning Devotional	6 (C)
6:15	Arkansas Education	6 (C)
6:30	Agriculture U.S.A.	4 (C)
	Across the Fence	7 (C)
	Farm Roundup	11 (C)
	Sunrise Semester	12 (C)
6:45	Agriculture Report	6 (C)
7:00	Casper	3-7 (C)
	Heckle and Jeckle	4-6 (C)
	Jetsons	11-12 (C)
7:30	Smokey Bear	3-7 (C)
	Bugs Bunny-Road Runner	11-12 (C)
8:00	Cattanooga Cats	3-7 (C)
	Here Comes The Grump	4-6 (C)
8:30	Pink Panther	4-6 (C)
	Dastardly & Muttley	11-12 (C)
9:00	Hot Wheels	3 (C)
	H.R. Pufnstuf	4-6 (C)
	Bozo and Santa Claus	7 (C)
	Penelope Pitstop	12 (C)
	Deputy Dawg	11 (C)
9:30	Hardy Boys	3-7 (C)
	Banana Splits	4-6 (C)
	Scooby-Doo	11-12 (C)
10:00	Sky Hawks	3-7 (C)
	Archie	11-12 (C)
10:30	Adventures of Gulliver	3 (C)
	Jambo	4-6 (C)
11:00	Fantastic Voyage	3 (C)
	High School Bowl	4 (C)
	Flinstones	6 (C)
11:30	Children's Hour	11-12 (C)
	American Bandstand	3-7 (C)
	Branded	4
	Pro Football	6 (C)

# Afternoon

12:00	To Be Announced	4 (C)
	Pro Football	11 (C)
	Superman	12 (C)
12:30	Junior Achievement	3 (C)
	AFL Playoffs	4-6 (C)
	Movie	7 (C)
	"The Brave Bulls"	12 (C)
1:00	Johnny Quest	12 (C)
	Wrestling	3 (C)
	Sun Bowl	11-12 (C)
	Georgia meets Nebraska	3 (C)
2:00	Movie	3 (C)
	"The Spanish Mah"	7
2:30	Movie	7
	"ride 'em Cowboy"	4 (C)
3:00	Wild Kingdom	4 (C)
	To Be Announced	6 (C)
4:00	Wide World of Sports	4-7 (C)
	Wide World of Sports	3-7 (C)
	Wilburn Brothers	4 (C)
	World Tomorrow	6 (C)
	Nashville Music	11 (C)
	Movie	12
4:30	Porter Wagoner	4 (C)
	Oak Ridge Boys	6 (C)
	Wrestling	11 (C)
5:00	Lester Platt	4 (C)
	Wilburn Brothers	6
	Nashville Music	11 (C)
	Skipper	12 (C)
5:30	News, Weather	3 (C)
	News	4 (C)
	Porter Wagoner	6 (C)
	He Said! She Said!	11-12 (C)
5:45	News	11-12 (C)
	Music Scene	3 (C)

# The Negro Community

By ESTER HICKS  
Phone 777-4678 or 4474

LET'S REFLECT  
Life is not the wick or the candle—it is the burning. Selected from Apples of Gold.

# CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Rev. E.A. Porch of El Dorado, Arkansas will preach at the Mt. Pleasant C.M.E. Church Thursday, December 25th, (Christmas Day) at 2:00 p.m. The public is invited to attend. Rev. W. T. Keys, Pastor.

The Charmetts Social Club will sponsor the annual Holiday Ball at Yerger High School Gymnasium December 26, 1969 from 9:00 p.m. 'til 1:00 a.m. Music by the Grand Paces of the Boys' Industrial School, Wrightsville, Arkansas. Admission: \$1.00 advance; \$1.50 at door. Tickets may be purchased from members of the club and at the Green Leaf Cafe.

# PERSONAL MENTION

Friends of C.G. Carmichael will be happy to know that he is much improved. He is in Room G2 at the Quachita County Hospital, Camden, Arkansas.

# OBITUARY

Funeral service for Ocie S. Hickles, who passed away in a local hospital December 18, 1969, will be held at Garrett Chapel Baptist Church Saturday, December 20th, at 3:00 p.m. Burial in Cave Hill Cemetery under the direction of Hicks Funeral Home, Inc.

# Monday Morning

6:00	Sunrise Semester	11 (C)
6:10	Devotional	6 (C)
6:30	Texarkana College	6 (C)
	Economics	11 (C)
6:45	RFD	4 (C)
	R.F.D. "g"	6
6:50	Your Pastor	12 (C)
7:00	Bozo	3 (C)
	Today	4-6 (C)
	News	11-12 (C)
7:30	Bozo's Big Top	7 (C)
	Arkansas A.M.	11 (C)
8:00	Romper Room	7 (C)
	Captain Kangaroo	11-12 (C)
8:30	This Morning	7 (C)
8:45	Movie	3
	"Mother Carey's Chickens"	7
9:00	R Takes Two	4-6 (C)
	Movie	11 (C)
	"My Six Convicts"	11 (C)
	Lucille Ball	12 (C)
	Debbie Drake	12 (C)
9:25	News	4-6 (C)
9:30	Concentration	4-6 (C)
	Beverly Hillsbillies	11
	Galloping Gourmet	12 (C)
10:00	Sale of the Century	4-6 (C)
	Andy Griffith	11-12 (C)
10:20	Fashions in Sewing	3 (C)
10:30	That Girl	3 (C)
	Hollywood Squares	4-6 (C)
	Love of Life	11-12 (C)
10:50	Fashions in Sewing	7 (C)
11:00	Beetwitched	3-7 (C)
	Jeopardy	4-6 (C)
	Where the Heart Is	11-12 (C)
11:25	News	11-12 (C)
11:30	News	3 (C)
	Name Droppers	4-6 (C)
	That Girl	7 (C)
	Search for Tomorrow	11-12 (C)
11:55	News	4-6 (C)

# Afternoon

12:00	Dream House	3 (C)
	Little Rock Today	4 (C)
	News	6-12 (C)
	Master Key Seven	7 (C)
	Eye on Arkansas	11 (C)
12:30	Let's Make A Deal	3-7 (C)
	You're Putting Me On (C)	6
	As the World Turns	11-12 (C)
12:55	Paul Harvey	4 (C)
1:00	Newlywed Game	3-7 (C)
	Days of Our Lives	4-6 (C)
	Love is a Many Splendored Thing	11-12 (C)
	Dating Game	3-7 (C)
	Doctors	4-6 (C)
	Goulding Light	11-12 (C)
2:00	General Hospital	3-7 (C)
	Another World	4-6 (C)
	Secret Storm	11-12 (C)
2:30	One Life to Live	3-7 (C)
	Bright Promise	4-6 (C)
	Edge of Night	11-12 (C)
3:00	Storytime	2
	Dark Shadows	3 (C)
	Mike Douglas	4 (C)
	Letters to Laugh-In	6 (C)
	He Said! She Said!	7 (C)
	Gomer Pyle, USMC	11-12 (C)
3:45	Economics	2
3:30	Movie	3
	"Rogues of Sherwood Forest"	6 (C)
	Lat-A-Lot	6 (C)
	Dark Shadows	7 (C)
	Big Valley	11 (C)
	Lucille Ball	12 (C)
3:45	Friendly Giant	2
4:00	Sesame Street	2
	Flinstones	6 (C)
	Bozo's Big Top	7 (C)
	Beverly Hillsbillies	12
4:30	Letters to Laugh-In	4 (C)
	Hazel	6
	Rawhide	11
	Perry Mason	12
5:00	Misterogers	2
	News	3-7 (C)
	Beat the Clock	4 (C)
	Marshall Dillon	6
5:30	What's New	2
	News, Weather, Sports	3 (C)
	News	4-6 (C)
	Truth or Consequences	7 (C)
	News	11-12 (C)

# Night



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46 to 55	1.90	4.15	5.00	14.55
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11-26-4t

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12-4-lmc

**49. Pets & Pet Supplies**

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12-4-lmc

**BIRD FEEDERS** and bird seed. Delaney's Grocery, 202 East Second.  
12-4-lmc

**59. Nurseries, & Greenhouses**

**HOMEGROWN CHRISTMAS TREES.** Why buy dried out poor colored or artificial trees, when you can get fresh home-grown Scotch Pine and Arizona Cypress trees, at competitive prices? Opening November 28, 1969, Wright's Greenhouses, salesyard at McWilliams Peach Shed, Highway 67 East. Open until 9 p.m. daily.  
11-25-lmc

**CHRISTMAS TREES.** Fruit and shade trees, rosebushes, Azaleas, Camellias, Shrubbery, bedding, pot plants, and pottery. Phone 777-3543, E.H. Byers Nursery and Greenhouses, Highway 29 South.  
12-2-lmc

**63. Sewing Machines**

**SINGER CHRISTMAS SPECIALS.** SINGER Zig Zag portable \$88.00, SINGER Cabinet model \$88.00. Take over payments on Zig Zag SINGER, only six month old—pay only \$6.00 a month. For information contact: A-One Contractors, 109 West Division, 777-6614.  
11-26-4t

**SINGER SEWING MACHINE** Services, also repair any make or model. Free estimates. Fabric Center 777-5313.  
12-4-lmp

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**CARPET AND BRAIDED** rugs cleaned. For free estimation phone: 777-4670 or see Curtis Yates.  
11-20-4t

**ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION** and repairs. Electrical design and layout, house design service. Try us, McMullan Electric Service, 777-2145.  
12-10-lmc

**PAINTING AND PAPER** hanging. By the hour or contract. Free estimation. Clifton Whitten, Phone 777-6494.  
11-17-4t

**CALL LARRY REDLICH** for all your appliance repair, including: air conditioning, refrigeration and heating. 777-5764.  
11-20-4t

**WILL TRIM TREES** or remove trees. Call 777-5658 for more information.  
12-18-4tc

**90. For Sale**

**IF CARPET** beauty doesn't show? Clean it right and watch it glow. Use Blue Lustre. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Hope Furniture Co.  
12-13-6tc

**REMOVE** excess body fluid with FLUIDEX tablets, only \$1.69 at John P. Cox Drug.  
12-19-4tp

**1965 CHEVROLET** Pickup truck. Call the owner at 777-5784, or 777-2275.  
12-13-6tc

**1968 DODGE PICKUP**—wide bed, long wheel base, automatic, custom cab, 20,000 miles. 777-6743.  
12-16-6tp

**NEW AND USED JEEPS.** can be seen at the G. and S. Manufacturing Company on West Avenue B. Telephone 777-6714.  
11-2-4t

**TAKE** soil away the Blue Lustre true way from carpets and upholstery. Rent electric shampooer \$1. Home Furniture Co.  
12-17-6tc

**90. For Sale**

**TRANSMISSION FLUID.** Havo-line 10 w 30, and Quaker State oil. By the case or can. Delaney's Grocery, 202 East Second.  
12-10-lmc

**PINE TREE FARM.** 38 acres . . . \$200 per acre. L.W. Collins, three miles North of Blevins.  
12-16-4f

**1968—350cc KAWASAKI.** 7,000 miles. See at Road Runner Camper & Cycle Sales.  
12-16-6tp

**IN OAKHAVEN.** like new central heat and air conditioned three bedroom brick home, two baths, spacious carpeted den, built in kitchen with dishwasher and disposal, utility room and large storage room. Call 777-2288.  
12-18-2tc

**91. For Rent**

**PARTLY FURNISHED** five room house. 109 North Washington . . . \$55. Call 777-3587.  
12-19-4tc

**THREE ROOM** furnished apartment, utilities paid. No pets. Call 777-6298  
12-18-4tc

**GOOD LOCATION** for House trailer. Garden, gardenhouse, cow pasture, hog pen, garage, barn, sewage, butane tank, hunting, fishing, beautiful hill view. One mile from Prescott. Three months free. 887-3374.  
12-16-4tc

**FIVE ROOM** unfurnished house, two bedrooms and washer connections. For more information call 777-3886.  
12-17-4tc

**FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED** four room bath air-conditioned apartment. Adults only No drinking. 300 Edgewood.  
11-28-4t

**HOUSE FOR** Rent. For more information call 777-5270.  
12-13-6tp

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12-2-4f

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12-9-4f

**'The Tempest'**

**ACROSS**  
1 " . . . a spirit"  
5 "Where the . . . there auck!"  
8 "Our little . . . is rounded with a sleep"  
12 Newspaper editor  
13 Feminine appellation  
14 Individuals  
15 Thoroughly chilled  
16 Raised banks of turf  
18 "A savage and deformed slave"  
20 Elude  
21 Before  
22 Pindaric verse  
23 Openwork embroidery  
27 Variety of  
31 Spirit  
32 Nothing  
33 Arabian name  
34 Operated  
35 Tavern drink  
36 Girl's name  
37 Greek musical term  
39 Column support  
41 Rodent  
43 Through (prefix)  
44 Map  
47 Brathes in  
51 " . . . right Duke of Milan"  
53 Yugoslav marshal  
54 Rescue

**DOWN**  
1 Of the ego and libido (Bib.)  
2 Idle fellow  
3 Deficient in grace  
4 Flatiron  
5 Greek letter  
6 Uniform  
7 Spike of corn  
8 Molded masses of bread  
9 Peruvian Indian  
10 Turkish food  
11 Essential being  
17 Color  
19 Wager  
22 Leered at  
23 Ornamental plant  
24 Wings  
25 Not suitable  
26 Egyptian river  
28 Torment  
29 Forearm  
30 Clock face  
36 Korean, for instance  
38 Rubbed out

40 Anglo-Saxon letter  
42 Snake  
44 Part of cathedral  
45 Shallow bowl (dial.)  
46 Affection  
47 Metal  
48 Remark upon (Latin)  
49 And elsewhere (ab.)  
50 Type  
52 Epoch

Both vulnerable  
West North East South  
1 ♠ Dble Pass 2 ♠  
Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3 N.T.  
Pass Pass Pass  
Opening lead—♠ K

**WIN AT BRIDGE**

**Case Dismissed Against North**

By Oswald & James Jacoby

**NORTH** 18  
♠ Q 10 6  
♥ K Q 9 4  
♦ A K Q 10  
♣ 10 2

**WEST** 17  
♠ K J 8 7 3  
♥ A 6  
♦ 7 5  
♣ K Q J 4

**EAST** 19  
♠ 5 4  
♥ 10 8 7 2  
♦ 8 6 3  
♣ 9 8 7 5

**SOUTH (D)**  
♠ A 9 2  
♥ J 5 3  
♦ J 9 4  
♣ A 6 3

Both vulnerable  
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Pass 3 ♠ Pass 3 N.T.  
Pass Pass Pass  
Opening lead—♠ K

North accused of the crime of overbidding, sat dejectedly by Merry Pason, his counsel, while District Attorney Ham Burger examined his chief witness.

"Is this your partner's hand?" he asked.

Pason arose. "We have already stipulated the hands and the bidding and the result of three-no-trump down one," he remarked.

"In that case, you may cross examine," said Burger.

Pason walked to the witness and asked, "Did you win the third club and discard a spade from dummy?"

"Yes," was the answer.

"And did you continue by leading a small heart to dummy's queen and a second heart to your jack?"

"Again the answer was, 'Yes.'"

"That is all," said Pason. "I move for dismissal of the complaint."

"On what grounds?" snarled Burger.

"In the case of the people vs. Culbertson, it was held that there was no penalty for an overbid if the contract should have been made. We submit that South did willfully throw this contract away by leading a heart to the jack at trick five. He should have led the 10 of diamonds to his jack instead and continued by leading a second low heart toward dummy. West would have been forced to play the ace and South would eventually have made three heart tricks and his contract."

"Case dismissed," said the Judge. "South will be held for assault on an almost ironclad contract."

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

**2. Notice**

**BUY AND SELL Pecans.** one mile South of Fulton. Ranch Properties, Inc. Phone 896-2225, Fulton.  
11-18-2mp

**GARAGE SALE.** Bicycle, car, two wheel trailer, bottles, etc. 1606 South Grady, Saturday, 10 a.m.—4 p.m.  
12-18-4tp

**15. Used Furniture**

**WALKER'S NEW & USED** Furniture, 777-6233, 213 S. Main. Give highest prices for your furniture. Will sell-trade-or buy.  
11-7-4t

**LUCK'S USED FURNITURE CO.** See me before buying or selling H.E. Luck, 904 North Hazel, 777-4381.  
11-7-4t

**68. Services Offered**

**SAND & GRAVEL** Hauling. Small or large jobs. Call Pete Rosenbaum, 777-5857.  
12-10-2mp

**DOZER WORK**—Land clearing and dirt work. Shear blade, rake and dirt blade. Paul Roberts, 777-3075 or 777-6667.  
12-3-lmp

**CALL WALKERS NEW AND** USED Furniture for commercial refrigeration service and air conditioning. 777-6233.  
11-3-4f

**ROOFING CONTRACTOR.** roofs any type. Free estimates. Phone 899-2464, J.D. Matherly.  
11-19-lmp

**69. Child Care**

**TROY'S DAY NURSERY.** 1312 West Avenue B, open Monday through Saturday. Operated by Myrtle Primus. Call: Nursery 777-6874, or if no answer, Myrtle 777-3289, or 777-4555.  
11-9-4f

**73. Jewelers**

**FINEST WATCH & Jewelry** repair. All work guaranteed. Party napkins for all occasions, personalized, printed. Stewart's Jewelry Store, 208 South Main.  
11-6-4f

**78. Business Opportunities**

**REAL ESTATE SALES** Opportunities. SAFE-BUY Real Estate needs qualified men, or man and wife, to establish branch sales offices. Training, advertising support, and supplies furnished. Experience not a requirement. Inquiries from Brokers and salesmen invited. Some of our Representatives earn in excess of \$50,000 each year. For details call Fr 6-3631, or write SAFE-BUY Real Estate, Box 589, Little Rock, Ark. 72203.  
12-19-ltc

**UP A TREE?**

**COME ON DOWN FOR THESE GREAT LAST-MINUTE GIFT SUGGESTIONS**

**CHRISTMAS SPECIAL.** . . . through the Holidays. Half a month's rent FREE. . . for a mobile home parked on our lot. All modern facilities. Call or come by Kountry Courts, Highway 174 East by the Experiment Station, 777-6017.  
12-12-lmc

**SANTA SAYS.** . . . You need this space for your special "Last Minute" Gift Suggestions. Don't delay, every minute counts. . . Call 777-3431 with your ad. . .  
12-19-4f

**ALWAYS.** . . . at your service. Let us help you give your family a gift that will last for years to come. A.F.C.O. - Airtex - Chrysler - and York central heating and air conditioning. A-ONE CONTRACTORS, call 777-6614 today!!  
12-18-6tc

**SANTA'S HELPER** is a knock out, when she has her hair fixed at ALVIN'S HAIR FASHIONS. Call and make your appointment today. 777-3440, 12-18-6tc

**80. Help Wanted**

**HIGHEST PAYING** Overseas jobs open. Over 1,000 U.S. Firms hiring 300,000 Americans for 166 countries. Earn up to \$35,000 yearly. No taxes, free transportation, families welcomed, overtime bonuses, and MANY other benefits. \$25 processing fee refundable. Free interview, applications, and job catalogs. Contact 2318 Texas, Texarkana, Texas, Phone 792-9073.  
11-21-lmp

**104. Mobile Homes**

**PRESCOTT MOBILE HOME** Sales, Highway 24 East, end of Main Street, has a large selection on two and three bedroom mobile homes. Custom built to your specifications. We sell for less. Open til 6 p.m.—seven days a week. Call Mack Hillery, 887-3384.  
11-26-4f

**WE'VE GOT SOME** real sharp mobile homes. Come by our lot at 700 West Third. We'll be pleased to show you our units at the Oaks, Road Runner Camper Sales, Hope, Arkansas.  
11-25-4f

**THE DOCTOR SAYS**

**Blocked Nose Drainage Aggravates Sinusitis**

By WAYNE G. BRANDSTADT, M.D.

Sinus trouble is an inflammation of one or more of the air spaces in your skull that open into the back part of your nasal passages. It may be caused by an infection, such as a head cold or an allergy and it is greatly aggravated if the drainage into the nose becomes blocked.

The symptoms include a feeling of fullness in the head, pain or tenderness in the region of the involved sinus, a nasal discharge or postnasal drip and sometimes fever. The acute stage clears up in seven to 10 days or progresses to chronic sinusitis.

It is helpful from the standpoint of both prevention and treatment to maintain an indoor relative humidity of 45 per cent in the winter and to stop smoking. Nasal decongestants to keep the passages open will make you more comfortable and help to prevent chronic sinusitis. When the effect of the drug wears off, an increased blocking usually returns. This is an effect of the drug (rebound phenomenon) rather than of the disease and for this reason these drugs should be used sparingly.

If drainage cannot be maintained with nasal decongestants it must be re-established surgically. It is wise to avoid air travel if you have sinusitis because of the intense pain changes in pressure can cause in blocked air spaces.

**Q—What exactly** are the hazards to a pregnant woman and her baby if she gets influenza?

**A—The pregnant woman** who gets influenza runs a very great risk of death from pneumonia. If she survives, the chances that her baby will have some type of birth defect appear to be increased but a causal relationship with the influenza has not been definitely proved.

**Q—Is hypnosis quicker** and more effective than psychotherapy in the treatment of emotional illness?

**A—Although theoretically** all persons can be hypnotized, in practice this is not true. The person to be hypnotized must be thoroughly cooperative and must want to be treated by hypnosis. In the treatment of emotional illness, hypnosis may help a patient to recall repressed memories that may be a cause of the trouble and overcome the associated fears. Thus in some, but not all, persons it may be quicker and more effective than other methods of treatment.

(Newspaper Enterprise Assn.)

**21. Used Cars**

**WANTED — USED CARS** and trucks. Cash paid. Harry Phillips Used Cars, 1010 West 3rd, 777-2522.  
11-1-4f

**WANTED—Late model** used cars and pickup trucks. Hope Volkswagen Inc. See James Gaines or J. B. Ingram Jr. Phone: 777-5726 or 777-6100.  
11-25-4f

**102. Real Estate For Sale**

**"Merry Christmas"**  
Three bedroom home in good location. Range and draperies included. Move right in and put up the Christmas Tree.  
**HOPE REALTY**  
720 E. THIRD  
777-5115  
12-15-6tc

**90. For Sale**

**HOMEGROWN Christmas Trees**  
Scotch Pine and Arizona Cypress, bright green in color! Why buy dried out, poor colored, or artificial trees? Check our prices!  
Cut Fresh Daily!  
Open until 9 p.m.  
**Wright's Greenhouse**  
Sale yard at McWilliams' Peach Shed, Highway 67 East.  
12-19-ltc

**46. Produce**

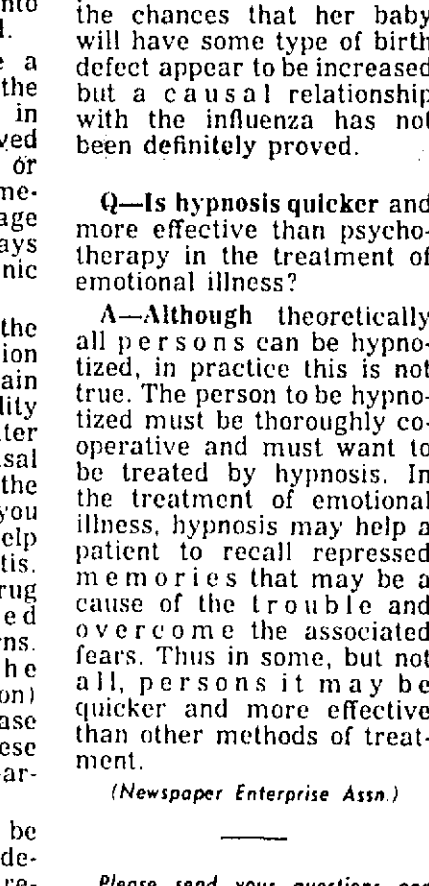
**TEXAS SWEET ORANGES** . . . \$1.50 (20 Lbs.)  
**NAVELS** . . . \$2.00 (20 Lbs.)  
**APPLES** (Half Bushel) \$1.75 (Peck) \$1.25  
Nuts . . . Cedar Trees . . . Fireworks . . . Candy  
**Russell's Curb Market**  
902 W. THIRD ST.  
777-9933  
12-17-4tc

**115. For Lease**

**FOR LEASE** at HILLCREST and IMPERIAL—1 and 2 bedroom apartments. Central air conditioning. Utilities paid. Some furnished, \$100 up 777-3363, or 777-6731. Also, fully equipped EFFICIENCY Apartments available by the week.  
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**WORLD ALMANAC FACTS**

Explorers of the unknown have faced repeatedly some of the world's greatest dangers. The World Almanac recalls that Roald Amundsen, a Norwegian, led the first expedition to reach the South Pole, Dec. 14, 1911. In May, 1926, Amundsen again challenged the elements by successfully flying over the North Pole. Two years later, he perished during an air rescue search over the North Pole.

By FRANK O'NEAL

**43. Livestock**

**REGISTERED ANGUS.** Yearling heifers and bulls, top quality. Circle E. S. Ranches, Inc. Ozan, Arkansas, Phone 983-2698 or 983-2317.  
12-3-4f

**REGISTERED POLLED** Hereford Bulls for sale. C.N. McJunkins, call 287-4767.  
12-16-4tp

**48. Slaughtering**

**RALPH MONTGOMERY** Custom Slaughter, and meat processing. Phone 777-3808, or 777-6086.  
11-4-4f

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SIDE GLANCES

By GILL FOX



"All right—let's hear it! What's your excuse for being here on time again?"

CARNIVAL

By DICK TURNER



"Trouble with Janie is that she's got a "C" mind and a straight "A" appetite!"

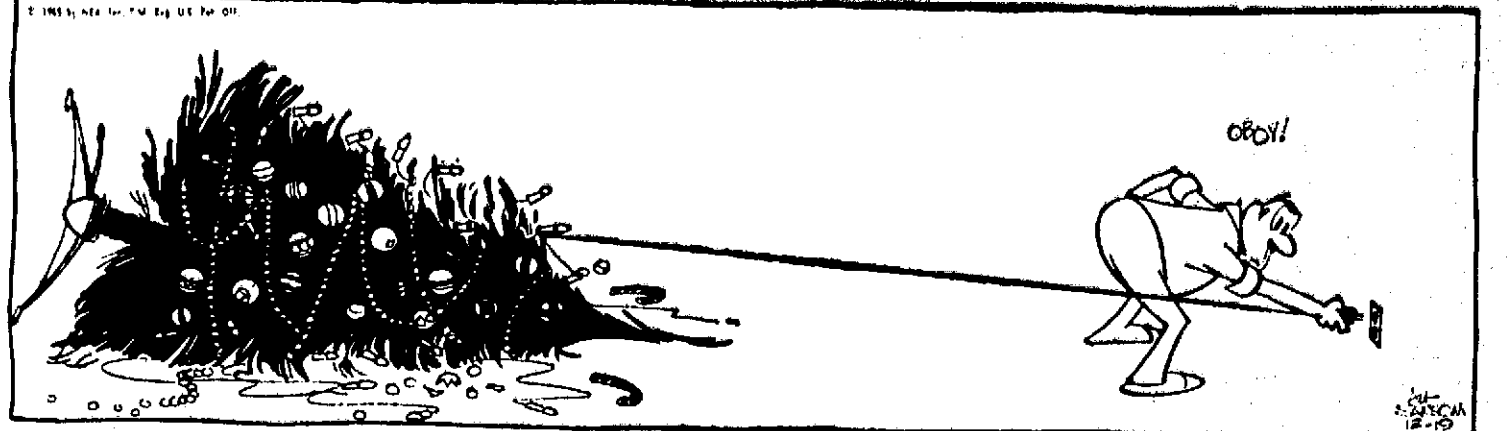
FLASH GORDON

By DAN BARRY



THE BORN LOSER

By ART SANSON



OUT OUR WAY

By NEG COCKRAN



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

By MAJOR HOOPLE

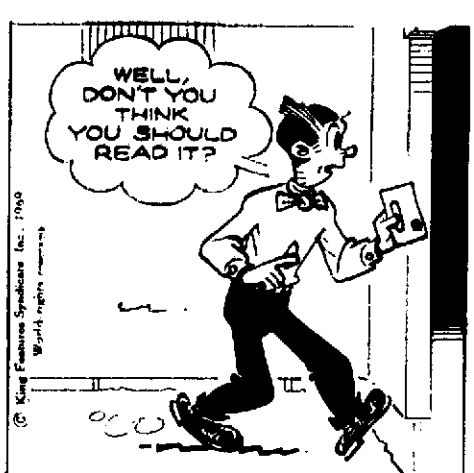
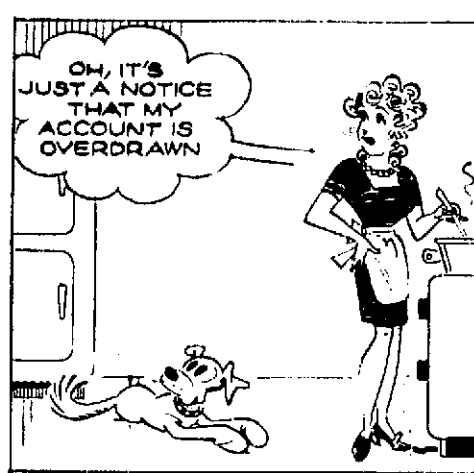
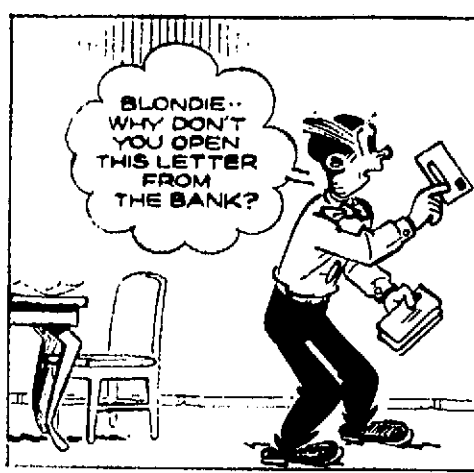


QUICK QUIZ

Q—Does "Tabby" denote a female cat?  
A—"Tabby" refers not to a female cat but to its markings.

Q—How can whales drown?  
A—Whales breathe through lungs and must hold their breath when they go under water. They will drown if they are trapped under water and cannot reach the surface in time to breathe fresh air.

BLONDIE



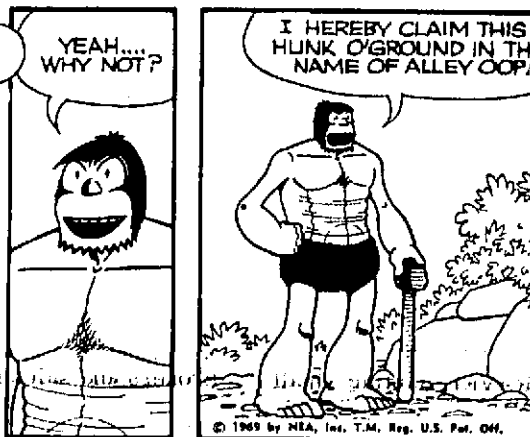
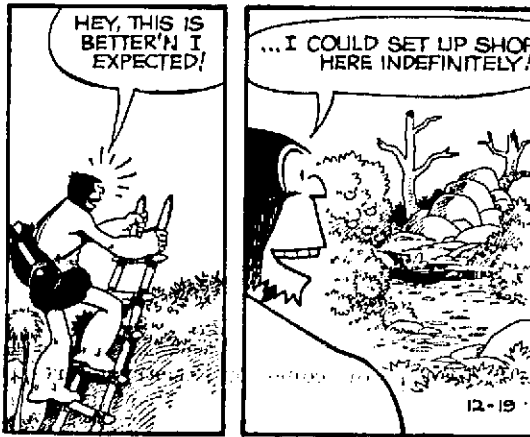
By CHIC YOUNG

TIZZY

by Kate Osann

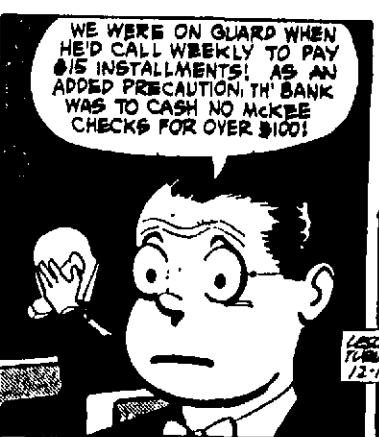
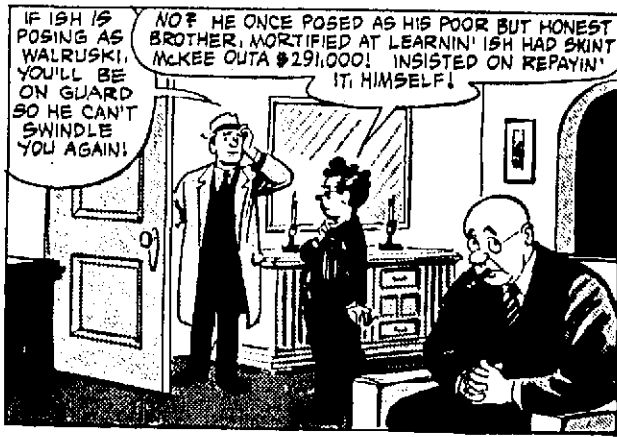


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By V. T. HAMLIN

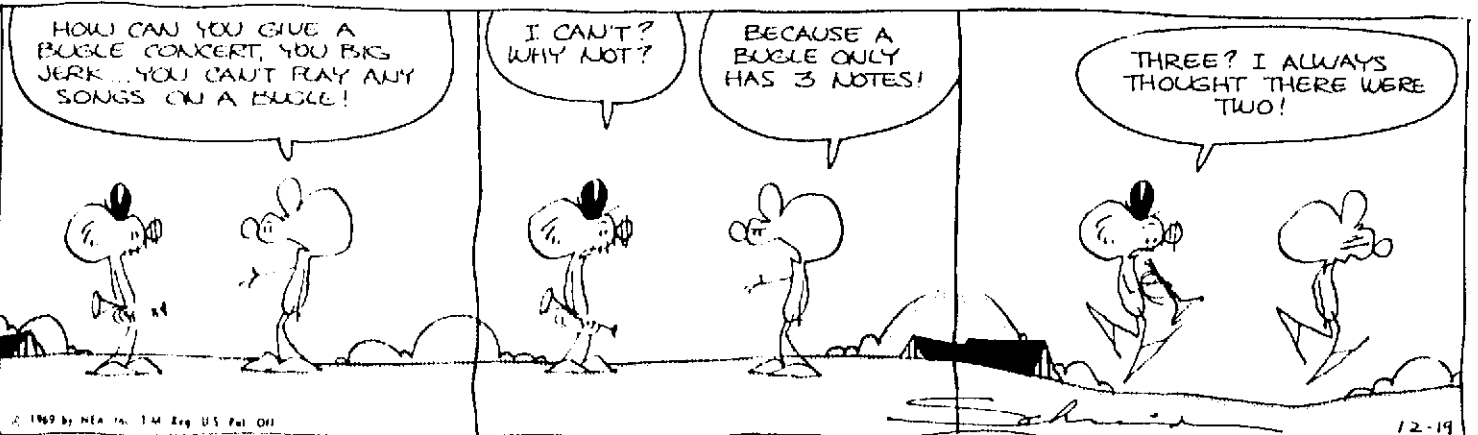
CAPTAIN EASY



By LESLIE TURNER

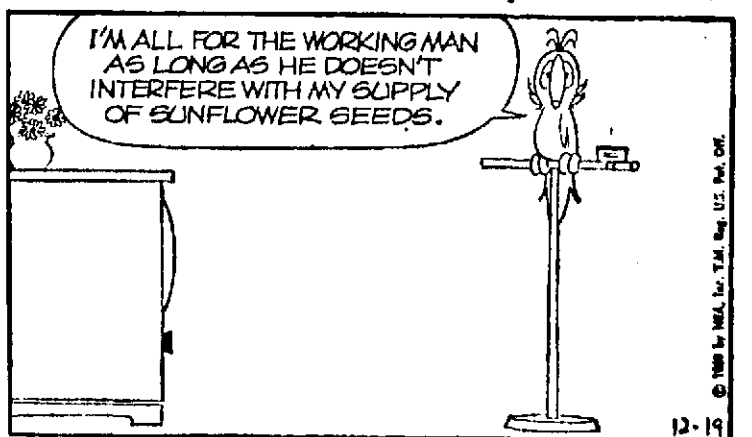
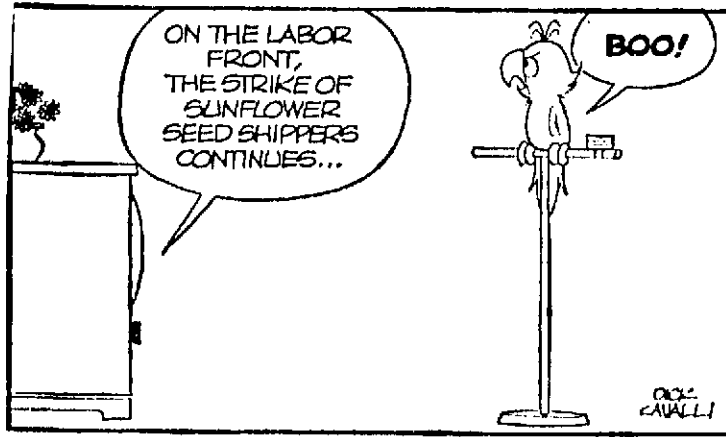
ECK & MECK

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WINTHROP

By DICK CAVALLI



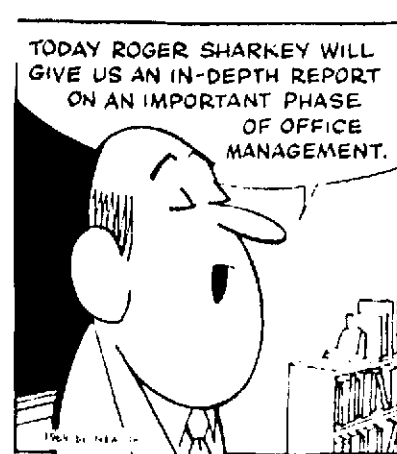
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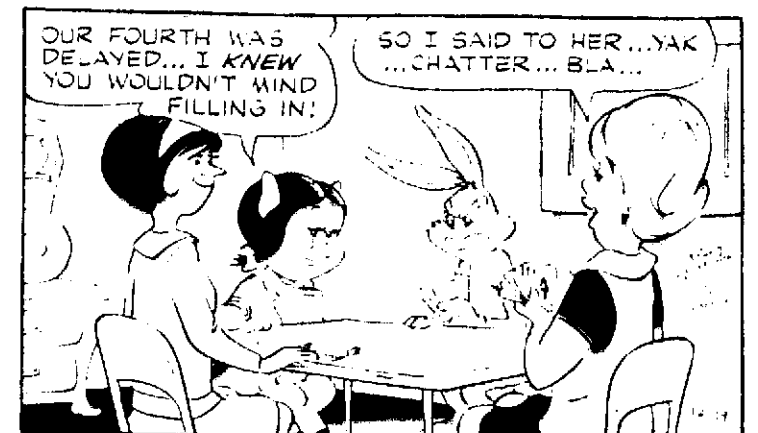
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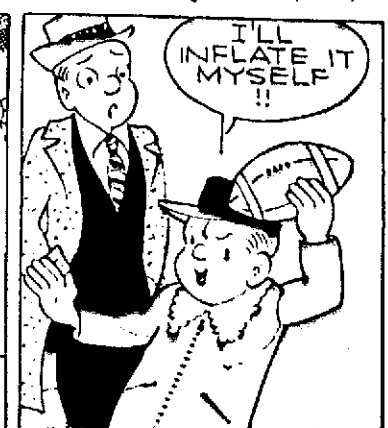
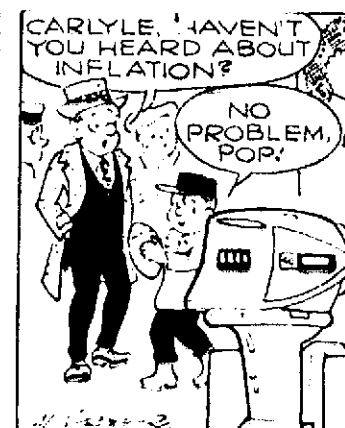
BUGS BUNNY

By RALPH HEIMDAHL



PRICILLA'S POP

By AL VERMER





# Church News

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

Walnut Street  
M. H. Peebles, Minister  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
10:00 a.m. - Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Mid-week Bible Study

## CHURCH OF CHRIST

5th and Grady Streets  
David Nicholas, Minister  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Bible Classes for all ages  
10:40 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
Mid Week Bible Study  
7:00 p.m. - Classes for all ages open for discussion  
You are welcome to all services.

## CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

Elmer L. C. Washington, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:30 a.m. - Sunday School  
12:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. - Y.P.W.W., Mrs. Little Kimple, President  
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Service

## CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH

1201 West Ave. B.  
Thomas Simmons, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School  
Hervey Holt, Supt.  
10:55 a.m. - Morning Worship  
5:30 p.m. - Choir Practice  
6:30 p.m. - Training Union  
Gilbert Ross, Director  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
MONDAY THRU FRIDAY  
11:30 p.m. - KXAR Weekday Bible Study  
MONDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Men's Bible Study  
TUESDAY  
1:30 p.m. - Bible Study  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Teachers Meeting  
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service  
FRIDAY  
8:00 a.m. - 8 p.m. - Prayer Room

## SHOVER SPRINGS

MISSIONARY BAPTIST  
Shover Springs, Ark.  
Chester Bullock, Pastor  
Howard Reece, S.S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S.  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - First Tuesday night of each month the W.M.A. and Brotherhood meets.  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Mid-week Services

## EPHESUS PRIMITIVE BAPTIST

Eld. J.B. Browning, Pastor  
Highway 67, Emmet, Ark.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Song Service, First Sunday  
11:00 a.m. - Preaching Service, First Sunday  
SATURDAY  
2:00 p.m. - Preaching Service and Conference, First Saturday of the month.

## BODCAW NO. 2 BAPTIST CHURCH

Bodcaw, Ark.  
Allison Brown, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
10:50 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - Training Service  
7:15 p.m. - Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
2:00 p.m. - W.M.A.  
7:00 p.m. - Service

## SOUTHSIDE ASSEMBLY

1121 South Fulton Street  
Hope, Arkansas  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
Howard Stevenson, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
Service - By Pastor  
5:00 p.m. - Southside Assembly Gospel Hour over Radio Station KXAR  
6:30 p.m. - Youth Service  
Buddy Stevenson, President  
7:30 p.m. - Evangelistic Service - Sermon by Pastor  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Mid Week Service and Bible Study  
FRIDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service  
Every Third Sunday, Gospel Service at the Hope Nursing Home at 3:00 p.m.  
Every First Friday, Youth Rally, and every third Friday, fellowship. Telephone the church office for time and place.

## LONOKE BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. Walter White, Pastor  
Ella Roberson, Supt.  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
MONDAY  
5:00 p.m. - Boys Club  
TUESDAY  
6:00 p.m. - Spiritlifters and Lonoleers  
7:00 p.m. - Celestial Choir  
8:00 p.m. - Imperial Choir

## BETHANY BAPTIST CHURCH

Spring Hill  
Charles Jones, Pastor  
James Yates, S. S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Message - Pastor  
6:30 p.m. - BTS  
Message - Pastor  
8:30 p.m. - Singing each 4th Sunday eve.  
TUESDAY  
4:00 p.m. - Gallileans  
4:00 p.m. - Junior GA  
3:30 p.m. - Girls Auxiliary  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Mid-week Service

## BEEBEE MEMORIAL C.M.E.

Rev. T. J. Rhone, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. - Church School  
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - Young People's 4th Sunday Meeting, Mrs. Mattie Sanders, Counselor  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Evangelistic Services  
MONDAY  
8:00 p.m. - Official Board Meeting  
3:00 p.m. - Missionary Circle No. 2  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Usher Board Meeting  
8:00 p.m. - Missionary Circle No. 1  
POWERS MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH  
Fulton Route 1  
SUNDAY  
10:15 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - Singing  
6:00 p.m. - Evening Worship

## OUR LADY OF GOOD HOPE CATHOLIC CHURCH

Third and Walker Streets  
Rev. Joseph Enderlin  
SUNDAY  
8:30 a.m. - Sunday Mass  
Sunday School immediately after Mass, after Masses.  
Sacred Heart Devotions on the first Friday of every month at 8:00 a.m.

## ST. PAUL C.M.E. CHURCH

Washington, Arkansas  
Sanford B. Tollette, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Church School  
Prof. G. S. Williamson, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
Service  
6:30 p.m. - C.Y.F., Mrs. Evelyn Williamson, Counselor, Miss Wilma Cheatham, President  
6:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

## FIRST CHURCH OF GOD

North Bell Street  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

## DAVIS CHAPEL CHURCH

Wm. D. Bright, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Church School  
12:00 a.m. - Worship Hour  
Odessa Campbell, S.S. Supt.  
Sister Jo Ellen Evans, Church Elder.  
COMMUNITY BAPTIST CHURCH  
Okay, Arkansas  
Stacy Thrasher, pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Worship Service  
6:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
6:30 p.m. - Prayer Service

## LIBERTY MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

W. L. Bazaar, Pastor  
On California - off Rosston Road Hwy. 4  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. - BTS  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Service  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

## NEW HOPE MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

Washington Hwy. 3 Miles North C. L. Roberts, Pastor  
Thomas McKee, S. S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School, Classes for all ages  
10:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship with sermon by Pastor  
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S. Mary Jane Hatfield, President  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Mid-week Services  
FIRST AND THIRD THURSDAY  
1:30 p.m. - W.M.A. Meeting

## MT. CANNAN BAPTIST CHURCH

Sherman and Beech St.  
Rev. E. D. Lonnie, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
3:00 p.m. - Home Mission

## BETHEL A.M.E. CHURCH

Rev. J. E. Hughes, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School  
Mrs. L. M. Davis, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - A.C.E. League  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Choir Rehearsal

## FIRST UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH

Fourth & Ferguson St.  
Rev. B. W. Lane, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. - Radio Broadcast "Harvestime"  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Joe Prysock, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Message by Pastor  
7:30 p.m. - Evangelistic Service.  
TUESDAY  
2:00 p.m. - Ladies Prayer Meeting  
7:30 p.m. - Bible Teaching by pastor  
THURSDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Young People's Service - MSS Brenda Neal - Leader - Everyone Welcome

## CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

South Elm Street  
John Tallant, S.S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
9:30 a.m. - Sunday School  
Leo Wood, Supt.  
10:50 a.m. - Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. - N.Y.P.S. Kenneth Smith, President  
7:30 p.m. - Evangelistic service - Sermon by Pastor  
TUESDAY  
1:30 p.m. - Prayer and fasting  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting  
Rev. W.L. French will be guest speaker at the Church of Nazarene on South Elm St., for both services Sunday.  
Mr. French is former Supt. of South Arkansas District Church of Nazarene and at present is in the Evangelistic work.

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Spring Hill, Arkansas  
Connie A. Robbins, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship

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Second and Casey St.  
Rev. G.L. Hughes, Minister  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. - Sunday School, Mrs. Emma Edwards, Supt.  
10:45 a.m. - Morning Worship  
2:00 p.m. - Broadcast KXAR  
6:00 p.m. - Baptist Training Union, Mr. Willie Brown, Director.  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
MONDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Senior choir rehearsal and Usher Board meeting.  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Mid-Week Prayer Meeting  
7:30 - 8 p.m. - Officers and Teachers meeting  
THURSDAY  
5:00 p.m. - Junior Choir Rehearsal  
7:00 p.m. - Young Women Auxiliary meeting.

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Four Miles South of Emmet  
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Gordon Miller, S.S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Classes, Sermon by Pastor  
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S.  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship  
Sermon by Pastor  
THIRD SATURDAY  
2:00 p.m. - Singing Hope Nursing Home  
FIRST SUNDAYS  
2:00 p.m. - Precious Memories Singing

## SARDIS BAPTIST MISSIONARY CHURCH

8 Miles S. Patmos Rd.  
Horace Cook, Pastor  
B.V. Jester, S.S. Supt.  
Meeting are 1st and 3rd Sundays  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship

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Perrytown, Ark.  
D. D. Fairchild, Pastor  
Bill Evans Music  
Sherry Patterson, Pianist  
SUNDAY  
8:15 a.m. - "Voice of Calvary" Broadcast over KXAR  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
James Vess, Superintendent  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY  
6:00 p.m. - Baptist Training Service, Singing every fourth Sunday evening.  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Bible Study  
7:45 p.m. - W.M.A. and Brotherhood meets every Second and Fourth Weeks.

## FORREST HILL BAPTIST CHURCH

Hwy. 4 East .9 miles  
G. W. Hooten, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday Morning  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:00 p.m. - Training Service  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship

## BODCAW No. 1 MISSIONARY BAPTIST CHURCH

SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Eugene Bobo, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S.  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
Every other Wednesday night after first and third Sunday, Brotherhood meeting and W.M.A. 7 p.m.  
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Elder Ida Bell Assistant Pastor  
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Lillian Flenory, Church Clerk  
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10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Service  
Bible Study, Pastor in charge.  
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## CHURCH OF CHRIST

North Walker Street  
Johnnie McGee, Minister  
2nd and 4th Sundays  
10:45 a.m. - Bible Class  
2:00 p.m. - Preaching  
7:00 p.m. - Bible Class each Friday  
7:30 p.m. - Prayer Meeting

## BELL'S CHAPEL NAZARENE CHURCH

Blevins, Arkansas  
Rev. Wayne Bell, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - Sunday Night services  
WEDNESDAY  
6:30 p.m. - Mid-week Prayer Service

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7:30 p.m. - Night Services  
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## ST. MARK'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Third and Elm Streets  
SUNDAY  
9:00 a.m. - Services  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Services

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Bro. Luke Treece, Music  
Verdell Treece, Pianist  
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10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Supt. Elder Johnny Teague.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship Service  
6:00 p.m. - Training Service  
Alan Foster, President  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship Service  
MONDAY  
7:30 p.m. - WMA  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Midweek Worship Service  
THURSDAY  
Thursday night visitation.  
7:30 p.m. - Youth Fellowship

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Janice Lauterback, Pianist  
SUNDAY  
9:00 a.m. - Rock of Ages Broadcast over KXAR  
9:50 a.m. - Sunday School, Lyle Allen, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
Sermon by Pastor  
6:00 p.m. - Training Service  
Don Webb, President  
7:00 p.m. - Worship Service  
MONDAY  
4:00 p.m. - G.A.'s  
TUESDAY  
2:00 p.m. - Senior WMA  
2:00 p.m. - Cora Mae Auxiliary  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Teachers Meeting  
7:30 p.m. - Worship Service

## MT. ZION C.M.E. CHURCH

Rev. H. R. Dotts  
SUNDAY  
9:45 a.m. - Mrs. Callie Boatner, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - Young People's meeting  
7:00 p.m. - Evening Worship  
MONDAY  
3:30 p.m. - General Mission  
6:00 p.m. - Junior Choir Rehearsal  
7:30 p.m. - Gospel Choir Rehearsal  
TUESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Usher Board 2nd and 4th  
WEDNESDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Bible Study & Prayer Meeting  
THURSDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Senior Choir Rehearsal  
FRIDAY  
6:00 p.m. - Imperial Choir Rehearsal

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Highway 29 South  
Elbert O'Steen, Pastor  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School, Eugene Bobo, Supt.  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
6:30 p.m. - B.T.S.  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
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Floyd Pharris, S. S. Supt.  
SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 a.m. - Morning Worship  
7:30 p.m. - B.T.S.  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
WEDNESDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Midweek Service  
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SUNDAY  
10:00 a.m. - Sunday School  
Mr. J. P. Dennis, Supt.  
11:30 a.m. - Morning Worship  
Pastoral Sundays 1st and 3rd Sundays  
6:00 p.m. - Y.P.W.W. Mrs. Clara Walker, President.  
7:30 p.m. - Evening Worship  
MONDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Worship Service  
WEDNESDAY  
4:30 p.m. - Junior Church  
Mrs. Clara Walker, President  
FRIDAY  
7:00 p.m. - Worship Service  
Pastor's Aid Comm.

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9:30 a.m. - Morning Worship  
10:30 a.m. - Church School

## JEHOVAH'S WITNESSES

Kingdom Hall, 1712 South Elm  
Eugene Shuster, Minister  
SUNDAY  
3:00 p.m. - Week Watchtower Study  
TUESDAY  
8:00 p.m. - Bible Study: Babylon has Fallen - God's Kingdom Rules.  
FRIDAY  
7:30 p.m. - Theocratic Ministry School  
8:30 p.m. - Service Meeting

## FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD

322 N. Main  
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SUNDAY  
9:40 a.m. - Sunday School  
11:00 p.m. - Children's Christmas Program (Christmas treats to all)  
4:30 p.m. - Revival time KXAR  
5:30 p.m. - Choir Practice  
6:00 p.m. - Youth Services  
7:00 p.m. - Christmas carols and candles (Candlelight service)



**FLEEING THE FIRE.** Philippine Islanders unload rice, fruits and vegetables after escaping from their home on erupting Taal Volcano Island. Many of the natives left the island (in background) at the first rumble, but others stayed, despite danger, to harvest some of their crops.

## MONEY CLIPS

by Mort Reed

Someone is finally getting around to commemorating the medical profession. Presidential Art Medals has just issued the second in a series of medals recognizing 50 Great Men of Medicine. Hippocrates was the first to receive honor, since he is, in a word, the father of medicine, and the No. 2 medal honors Dr. Benjamin Rush, a signer of the Declaration of Independence and the father of American psychiatry. This new series is being sculptured by Abram Belski, a former medical sculptor at New York Medical College and a noted artist and author.

Rush (1745-1813) was both a patriot and medical practitioner of great fame during the Revolutionary War period. He was an early opponent of slavery and tried desperately to assist both prison inmates and the insane. His book, "Medical Inquiries and Observations Upon the Diseases of the Mind," was the first book published in America on the subject of mental illness.

New medals honoring Great Men of Medicine will be released monthly by Presidential Art Medals until the series of 50 is complete. Each of the medals, struck in high relief, is produced in both bronze and silver editions. The bronze is 1 1/4 inches in diameter and sells for \$3.50. It is an unlimited edition, but the silver medal, same size, is limited to 5,000 copies, serially numbered. They sell for \$17.50 each.

Interested readers may write to James Harper, Presidential Art Medals, Inc., Englewood, Ohio 43222. Many readers have expressed their admiration for the pleasing appearance of the Jefferson five-cent piece and some have suggested the same profile on a larger denomination.

Felix Schlag, designer of the Jefferson-head nickel, is a very unassuming gentleman and the only designer of a U.S. coin since Longacre, who failed to sign at least one of his works. It wasn't until Coin World and this author urged the addition of Schlag's initials to the design of his coin in 1966 that it was finally made part of the die.

If you are one of those with a special feeling for the design on our nickel, I am sure Schlag would appreciate knowing it. You may drop him a line at his home: Felix O. Schlag, 107 West Exchange St., Owosso, Mich. 48867.

Public acceptance of my book, "Cowles Complete Encyclopedia of U.S. Coins," has been phenomenal since the newspapers carrying this column gave it a plug. It has been out exactly five weeks and I have been advised by the publishers that it will go into its second printing Jan. 1. Thank you.

## Saucer Hunt Is All Over, Panel Says

By FRANK CAREY

AP Science Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - Dg. Edward U. Condon, chief of a panel which recommended an end to the flying saucer hunt, says "there's no reason why the government should spend a lot of money checking up on lights in the sky."

Neither national security nor science were being served, the Air Force said in announcing an end Wednesday to 21-year-old project Blue Book, which kept voluminous files on reported sightings of unidentified flying objects.

Hundreds of thousands of dollars were spent on Blue Book in addition to the \$539,000 for the Condon panel's 18-month study. The University of Colorado physicist, in a telephone interview from Boulder, Colo., said though there are "plenty of kooks" who claim otherwise, "nobody has produced a shred of solid, credible evidence to support the idea that these UFOs represent visitors from outer space."

However, Condon emphasized the panel's January report, "also said that if any scientist came up with a clearly defined, specific proposal for study, and he was professionally qualified . . . he should be supported."

What now if someone wants to report a UFO?

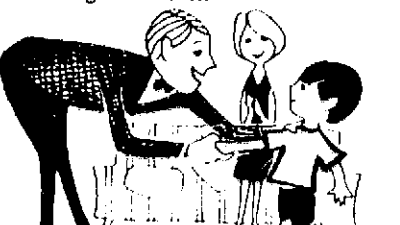
The Air Force said it had no specific recommendation, but the viewer could pass on his information to a scientist, check with the local air base, or call the police department.

A member of the House space committee, Rep. William F. Ryan, D-N.Y., urged that investigation of UFO's be the responsibility of the National Aeronautics and Space Agency.

The National Investigations Committee on Aerial Phenomena, a private group, announced that the end of Blue Book means, "Congress can now discuss the possibility of turning over UFO investigations to a civilian, federal or private scientific organization."

The octopus does not have a shell although all of its closer relatives have at least a trace of one.

Teach young boys to shake hands when introduced to friends.



A new comprehensive reference for coin collectors is "Cowles Complete Encyclopedia of U.S. Coins" by Mort Reed. To get a copy, send your name, address and \$7.95 per copy to Coin Encyclopedia, c/o name news paper, P.O. Box 489, Dept. first three digits your Zip Code, Radio City Station, New York N.Y. 10019.

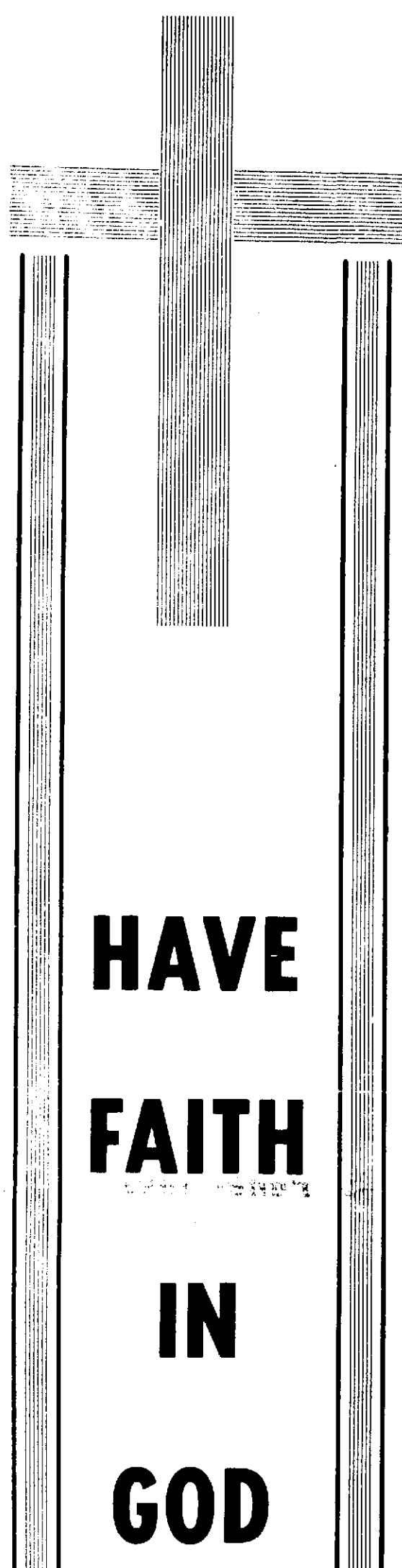




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Luke tells us what Christmas is all about in chapter 2, verse 14, when he shouts — **Glory To God In The Highest, and On Earth, Peace And Good Will To All Men.**

It takes only two words to speak the Christmas Message, — "glory" and "Peace." These words express the glory of God as no others do. That historic babe, born in a manger, has transformed a whole world. His spirit means Christmas in the life of humans such as we. In Him is embodied the love, patience, and essential goodness of the best man who ever lived—Jesus. He is the true example of the God of power and righteousness. Men knew he was all-powerful but had never known He was all-loving. We must not wallow away Christmas Day by guzzling up our blessings in dismay. Let us give of our best in the spirit of Joy. Exchange gifts, if you may, in memory of Him who taught us that it is always more blessed to give than to receive.

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## Junior Auxilliary Wraps Gifts



## Rock Musicians With Bach Backgrounds

By ROGER DOUGHTY  
NEA Staff Correspondent

NEW YORK—(NEA)—Picking up the pieces after a hard night's work making music with the Butterfield Blues Band, trumpeter Steve Madaio, 21, turns off the tension by "turning on"—he freaks out by listening to the ditties of Shostakovich or Strauss.

"Classical music opens up your mind," the mustachioed musician tells you. "An hour with Strauss calms me down and helps me relax. It reminds me of my school days."

Steve's schooling took place at Mannes College of Music in New York, where he studied the classics. He got into the Butterfield group when a former classmate,

Buzzy Fieton (who studied French horn at Mannes, but played lead guitar for Butterfield) clued him in that the band needed a trumpet player.

"The story," claims Steve, "isn't all that unusual. A lot of people still think that most of today's young musicians are idiot freaks who only know two chords and sing off-key. But if you check it out you'll find that many are graduates of the best music schools in the country. They feel, as I do, that you have to get involved seriously with your instrument if you're going to play the music the way it's supposed to be played. And that's as true of rock 'n' roll as it is of Shostakovich."

Take, for example, Blood,

The Junior Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. E.P. Young, Jr. Tuesday morning where they wrapped gifts which had been purchased for approximately 250

needy children. The gifts will be delivered sometime later this week. This is done annually as a part of their welfare program.

Sweat and Tears. They're chart busters with singles like "You Made Me So Very Happy," "Spinning Wheel" and "And When I Die," but rock isn't their only musical bag. One member of the group, Lew Soloff, a trumpeter, recently appeared as soloist with the Symphony of the New World at New York's Philharmonic Hall. He's a Juilliard graduate



Lew Soloff

and, like the rest of the B&T guys, he digs the classics.

Jorma Kaukonen, lead guitarist with Jefferson Airplane, holds a degree in sociology from Santa Clara while Carl Siracuse, who handles organ and rhythm guitar for Glass Prism, mixed music with political science at Wilkes College in Pennsylvania.

But when it comes to musical backgrounds, hardly anybody can outshine Lighthouse, which rocks with the best of 'em.

The 13-piece Canadian outfit includes cellist Don Whitton, a graduate of the Royal Conservatory of Music and former cellist with the Toronto and CBS symphony orchestras; Leslie Schneider, another cellist and a former member of the symphony orchestra of Hamilton, Ontario; alto sax player Howard Shore, a graduate of the Berklee School of Music in Boston; and violinist Ian Guenther, who studied at Juilliard.

"They are," claims an RCA publicity type, "easily the world's most musically educated rock group."

They play good, too. And though his education wasn't in music, Jim Morrison, the sex symbol of our time (according to Jim Morrison) and lead singer for The Doors, put in 2½ years at Florida State before moving on to UCLA's Theatre Arts school.

As Gary Burton, vibes virtuoso, Berklee grad, and the guy from whom the "Gary Burton Quartet" got its name, says: "To be really creative you've got to be able to improvise. But if you don't have a classical background with a knowledge of musical form, you just can't do it properly. That's what it's all about. Besides, if Beethoven were alive today, he'd probably be composing rock."

Same goes for Strauss  
Newspaper Enterprise Assn.



## Nam's Nonheroes Also Serve

By TOM TIEDE  
NEA Staff Correspondent

CAMP ENARI, South Vietnam—(NEA)—By any standard, Paul Mooney has one of the most unrewarding jobs in Vietnam.

He takes care of the dead. The 22-year-old soldier from Gibson City, Ill., is with the graves registration unit of the 4th Infantry Division. It's a gory job.

Mooney's responsibility is to prepare the casualties for embalming. He identifies them, strips them, cleans them as best he can—then places their remains in green, plastic pouches for shipment to the military morgue.

For this, he gets nothing but regular nausea.

"The dead can't say thanks," he observes—and nobody else wants to. No medals, no backslaps, no headlines in the hometown prints. Very few in war like to even think about body handlers, much less be grateful for their service.

Mooney, however, is not alone in his thankless anonymity. Combat is crowded with others like him. Each, by the fortunes of assignment, nailed to lackluster positions.

Other examples:

Joe Alexander, 22, of Adamsville, Tenn., is a tall, towheaded member of the Combat Engineers. He's a mine-sweeper. Each morning, he clears roads in the 4th Infantry area with a device that looks like a waffle iron on a stick. It's tedious work—two miles an hour—and dangerous. If Alexander misses an area, even a tiny area—well, as he says, "My sweeper is supposed to go beep-beep when it detects something. But you always get the uneasy feeling that some day it'll go boom-boom instead."

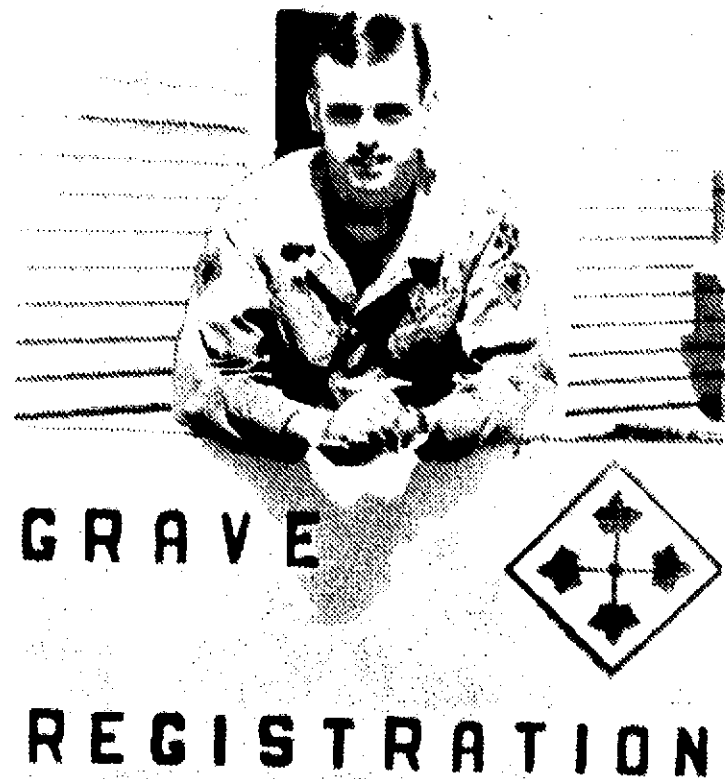
Mike Kragniak, 26, spent two years in the Peace Corps working with the newly developed "miracle rice" (IR-5 and IR-8). When he was drafted into the war corps, the 4th put him in the division's psychological warfare unit. His job: To introduce miracle rice in the central highlands and thereby win friends and influence people.

He did. And he has. Planting daily, weaponless, in far-flung paddies, he has helped some farmers increase their yield 300 per cent. Says he: "I haven't got any ribbons yet, but I got a lot of callouses."

Aaron Hodges, 45, of Arlington, Tex., is a civilian electronics technician working for the Department of Defense. He supervises repairs on Cobra helicopters, the 250-m.p.h., jet-powered, chopper fighters. He has been

stationed at nearby Camp Holloway (604th Transportation) for two years. In that time, he has been mortared, shot at and frightened too many times to remember. Why, then, as a civilian, does he stay on? "Well, my boy Howard is one of the Cobra pilots here. And I wouldn't trust anyone else working on his ship."

Donald Wayman, a 20-year-old from Danbury, Conn., was assigned as a 4th Infantry battalion clerk when he arrived here. Not much of a job. Field troopers deride it as soft. "Paper pushing." One day, however, Pfc. Wayman was rounded up for a special, urgent job. There was trouble in an area village and available GIs were needed for a defense force. It was Wayman's first



PAUL MOONEY: No medals, backslaps or headlines.



MIKE KRAGNIK: He wins no ribbons for winning friends and influencing Vietnam's peasant farmers.



JOE ALEXANDER: He worries about the day it may be boom-boom instead of beep-beep.

action. He had only been in the country 13 days. And when he reached the village, the paper pusher was shot in the chest, instantly dead.

No bands plays for these soldiers. No ceremonies honor their work. But they contribute.

As Paul Mooney, the man who takes care of the dead, puts it: "I'm a rifleman, but they put me in graves registration. I guess non-heroes are important, too."

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## Labor Dispute Brings Rice Hoarding

By BOB FORSYTH  
Associated Press Writer

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)—With 39 freighters already stalled in Pacific ports by a month-old maritime labor dispute, householders in Hawaii and Guam are hoarding rice and other staple foods.

The Pacific Maritime Association said the dispute involves five of its member companies with fleets totalling 120 vessels, the issue is the number of firemen needed to man two Matson Navigation Co. containerized ships still under construction in Baltimore, Md.

Matson contends the new ships will be so highly mechanized that fewer crewmen will be needed.

The firemen's union has declined comment about the dispute.

The PMA says the issue should be confined to the two Matson ships, but contends the

## Christmas Overseas



Home for the holidays is the wish of every soldier and especially those unfortunate enough to be hospitalized. In a global Yuletide campaign, the American Red Cross is striving to provide something of a typical Christmas at home for U.S. servicemen. In these photos, Red Cross workers are seen with patients in hospitals in South Vietnam, above left and below; Japan, above right; and Germany, left. At Christmas time, the Red Cross sums up its function in two words: Prevent homesickness.



LIGHTHOUSE, above, shines as one of rock's most musically educated groups. Four of its 13 members are graduates of prestigious schools of music, including Berklee, where Gary Burton, below, polished his vibes virtuosity.





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## Commissions of Realtors Under Probe

By WILLIAM BARTON  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — The Justice Department has launched an investigation to determine if the nation's real estate boards are conspiring to fix commission rates on property sales.

Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell announced the probe Thursday and said Justice Department investigators are checking to determine if recent commission rate increases in various parts of the country violate antitrust laws.

Asst. Atty. Gen. Richard W. McLaren, the government's antitrust chief, said his probe is "particularly interested in this situation because of the inflationary impact of such increases on consumers in the purchase of homes."

The Justice Department Thursday also filed a civil antitrust suit against the Prince George's County (Md.) Board of Realtors Inc., charging the firm with recommending commission rates that are followed by its 1,000 members in their property transactions. Prince George's County is a Washington suburb.

Mitchell indicated similar arrangements are made by other real estate boards elsewhere in the nation.

The Prince George's suit, brought under the restraint of trade provision of the Sherman Act, marked the first antitrust action against a real estate board since 1947.

The alleged scheme is carried out, the government said, through the Prince George's Multiple Listing Service, and all members agree that no listing will be accepted at a commission rate less than the recommendation.

Consequently, the suit claimed commissions were fixed at a noncompetitive level and price competition among salesmen was eliminated.

The government asked for an injunction to prohibit the real estate board from the rate-setting practices.

Real estate sales through the listing service exceeded \$39 million last year, the suit said, and the board recently issued a recommendation raising the commission rate from 5 per cent to 6 per cent.

This meant that consumers involved in a \$25,000 home purchase would have to pay an additional \$250 in commissions because of the increase.

**Missionary Leader Dies**

NORTH LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Dr. Jesse E. Cobb, a past president of the National Baptist Missionaries of America, died Thursday at a North Little Rock hospital. He was 79.

Cobb, a Vice President Emeritus of Central Baptist College at Conway, is survived by a wife, two sons and a daughter. The funeral will be held Saturday at Conway.

**Signs Tell a Negro Community Not to Steal for Christmas**

By ROY MALONE  
Associated Press Writer  
ST. LOUIS (AP) — The poster shows a black man behind bars and says: "Don't give your family this for Christmas."

Another says: "Stop stealing to celebrate Christmas." More than 5,000 of the posters are being distributed in the Negro community by a civil rights group called ACTION.

The posters are part of ACTION's "Black Christmas Plan" which also urges Negroes to stay out of debt by avoiding purchases they cannot afford.

"Many good people have gotten addicted to this commercialized Christmas," an ACTION pamphlet says. "Some are willing to take all kinds of senseless changes to gain materialistically."

"I'm not against Christmas," said ACTION leader Percy Green, 34, "but human values should take precedence over material values. We're saying to the black man 'don't put your life on the line for the sake of the parade.'"

## In the News



A COUPLE OF "HOT" SEATS will be filled by William Ross, left, who was named acting chairman of the Federal National Mortgage Association, and Dr. Charles C. Edwards, right, appointed head of the Food and Drug Administration. Ross succeeds Raymond Lapin, who was fired by President Nixon and is now suing to keep his job. Dr. Edwards will replace Dr. Herbert Ley, who was removed in an agency shakeup prompted in part by criticism of its performance in protecting the public from unsafe foods and drugs.

## Times Change and So Do Weapons Taken to School Sports Events

By HUBERT MIZELL  
Associated Press Sports Writer  
Mothers of yesteryear sent their teeny-boppers to Friday night high school sports events bearing cowbells, school pennants and megaphones.

Good clean fun. Tomorrow's paraphernalia may be more self-defensive—brass knuckles, switchblades and bulletproof vests.

In some hot spots, officials are mulling over thoughts of ruling out prep sports after dark. In others—like Chicago—it has long been a way of life.

"Racial" is a familiar tag for violence—rock throwing to pistol firing—but some claim black-vs.-white controversies simply draw attention to the trouble that has existed since the era of the flying wedge.

Joe Brodsky, burly former University of Florida fullback, was here at Miami's Jackson High School when it was all white. That was 15 years ago. Now coach of the Generals' mostly-black football squad, Brodsky claims, "People used to throw rocks at our buses and beat people with chains. Nobody got excited about it then."

But, there have been major problems sprinkled throughout the country. Parents have stormed school board meetings, written newspapers and complained to principals about off-field antics that can't be even broadly classified as hijinks.

Problems at football events have hit headlines from burbs in the hinterlands to teeming cities. Basketball doesn't escape the haunting difficulties of nighttime athletics, although most coaches and school leaders feel holding events indoors helps with policing. . . sometimes.

Playing of the song "Dixie" has been a significant problem in Southern schools. Whites

have stood and cheered for decades when their band struck up the tune. Blacks now in the once all-white schools take it as a racial affront and often explode when "Dixie" begins.

Atlanta's prep teams hire from 25 to 30 off-duty policemen to patrol at football games. They are stationed at all gates and on both sides of the field with eyes peeled for violence.

Washington (AP) — President Nixon plans to announce three steps aimed at easing U.S. trade restrictions with Communist China, Senate Republican Leader Hugh Scott told reporters today.

Scott, a Pennsylvania Republican, said he was informed by the White House of the President's intention to make such an announcement later in the day and said, in response to a question, that it was designed in part to show the United States is interested in substantive discussions with Red China at Warsaw.

Scott said three steps would be taken:

1. Removal of the \$100 limit on items from China that can be brought into the United States;

2. Permission for U.S. firms abroad to trade with China on nonstrategic items on the same basis as their foreign competitors; and

3. Revision of the current restriction on import of Chinese art objects.

Currently, anyone who wants to bring such items into the United States must show they left mainland China before November 1950 when the Communists took over. Scott said the burden of proof would be transferred from the individual to the government so that the latter would be able to prevent such imports only when it could show they left China after November 1950.

Scott is himself a noted collector of Chinese art.

**Baptists to Stage Yule Musical**

The Junior Choir of the First Baptist Church will present a Musical Drama, "Journey to Bethlehem," by Robert Graham, Sunday night at 7:00 p.m. in the church sanctuary.

## Poll Shows Public Agrees With Agnew

NEW YORK (AP) — Vice President Spiro T. Agnew's charge that television news reporting is biased has the support of 52 per cent in a national poll taken for ABC. The survey found 33 per cent disagree.

However, the poll, which was released Thursday night on the ABC Evening News, reported that the right of television newsmen to comment immediately after a presidential speech was supported by a ratio of 2½ to 1.

Asked if they agree with Agnew that newspapers are biased, the survey said 36 per cent of those interviewed agreed, 34 per cent disagreed and 30 per cent didn't know or had no opinion.

Freedom of the press for all media was endorsed by the majority of the 559 adults in 12 cities who were interviewed.

After Agnew's criticism of the See POLL SHOWS (On Page Two)

## Presidential Veto Warned on Tax Bills

By JOHN LENGEL  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress raced toward Christmas adjournment today along a path of appropriations and tax bills posted here and there with presidential veto warnings.

Debate and vote carried late into Thursday night while messengers trundled the work of one chamber along the corridor to the other. Congressmen went from the floor to conference room and back again.

President Nixon unexpectedly said he would veto the present \$21.4 billion Health Education and Welfare Department appropriation as inflationary.

Meanwhile, both houses passed and sent the \$69.8 billion defense money bill to the White House with a ban on use of U.S. troops in Laos and Thailand. The Pentagon had asked some \$75 billion.

Conferees remained at work on the mammoth tax reform bill mindful of presidential displeasure with its increased exemption feature.

Another House-Senate conference was tackling the \$2 billion foreign aid bill.

A tough coal mine safety bill was sent to the President despite Republican warnings of a veto because of a provision for federal payments to victims of black lung disease.

The Senate defeated 52-37 the Labor Department's so-called Philadelphia plan, intended to increase Negro employment at federally financed construction.

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**One Killed, Six Hurt in Accident**

WEST MEMPHIS, Ark. (AP) — One person was killed and six persons were injured Thursday in a two-vehicle crash on Interstate 55 on the West Memphis Bypass.

State Police said Edith Williams, 51, of Lilbourn, Mo., was killed when the car in which she was riding was struck head-on by a pickup truck driven by Eugene Williford, 54, of Ashland, Miss.

Authorities said she was in a car driven by her husband, Thomas Z. Williams, 52, also of Lilbourn, Mo. Williams and Williford were injured along with Ronnie Ray Williams, 20, Cathy Williams, 13, and Wanda Harris, 19, all of Lilbourn, Mo.

Officers said Ronnie Williams was in critical condition at a Memphis hospital. The other five persons were listed in good condition.

Williams was on Christmas leave from the military in Alabama and his family had picked him up at the Memphis airport only a short time before the accident. They were on their way to Missouri.

## Conferees Tentatively Agree on Personal Income Tax Exemption

By JOE HALL  
Associated Press Writer  
WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate-House tax reform conferees have reached tentative agreement on a relief package that includes a boost in the personal income tax exemption from \$600 to \$750.

The conferees worked 16½ hours until 3 o'clock this morning and still didn't quit finish their work on the entire tax reform bill, but conference chairman Rep. Wilbur D. Mills, D-Ark., said there was no doubt action would be completed today.

It was understood the relief package decided on as the last major compromise between the widely differing House and Senate versions provided:

— An increase in the exemption to \$650 starting next July. This would be coupled with a \$1,100 low income allowance to help poor families and an increase in the standard deduction from the present 10 per cent with a \$1,400 ceiling.

— A \$650 personal exemption for all of 1971, with a \$1,050 low-income allowance, and a standard deduction of 14 per cent and a \$1,700 ceiling.

— For 1972 and thereafter, a \$750 personal exemption, with a \$1,000 low income allowance and a standard deduction of 15 per cent with a \$2,000 ceiling.

The conferees also were reported to have agreed to accept the across-the-board 15 per cent increase in Social Security benefits of the Senate bill.

But they did not go along with the \$100 minimum monthly payment for an individual which that measure also included.

President Nixon had objected to the 15 per cent boost. But the House voted for it unanimously Monday in a separate bill.

The low income allowance, which may be deducted from income in figuring taxes, will remove about 5 million poor

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## Temperatures Slated to Be Cooler

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS  
Cool temperatures are expected in Arkansas through the weekend as a result of a cold front that moved into the state Thursday.

Rainfall should be light with only a slight chance of showers expected in the south portion Sunday night and over the state toward the middle of next week.

Light rain occurring over the state was expected to end today as the cold front pushes deeper into Louisiana and high pressure from the north takes control of the weather.

Rainfall amounts around the state for the 24-hour period ended at 6:30 a.m. today included .01 of an inch at Fayetteville and Harrison, a trace at Jonesboro, Pine Bluff and Texarkana, .02 at Blytheville and .07 at Little Rock.

## All Around Town

By The Star Staff

Johnny Anthony, son of Mrs. Graydon Anthony, a student at Southern Baptist Seminary in Louisville, Ky., writes that he has been asked to head a group of students at the Seminary to attend the school of Evangelism in Knoxville, Tennessee on May 25-29. . . the school is conducted by Dr. Billy Graham. . . Johnny will be counselor at the May meeting.

Leaders of the Hempstead County Extension Homemakers Council met recently with some 300 Extension Homemaker officers-elect from throughout Arkansas. . . representing Hempstead County at the training conference were Mrs. Ivan Bright, county council president-elect. . . Mrs. Ernest Graham and Mrs. A.M. Hewitt. . . Mrs. Graham was representing Mrs. Dexter Alford, county council treasurer-elect. . . and Mrs. A.M. Hewitt, Shower Springs Club President, represented Mrs. Lyle Allen, council vice-president-elect.

Technical Sergeant Charles W. Billings, formerly of I-7 South Fulton, Hope, Ark., and his wife, the former Kathleen St. Louis, from Stamford, Conn., are currently serving at Torrejon AB, Spain. . . the U.S. Air Force husband-and-wife team are assigned in the medical field. . . they serve the 401st Tactical Hospital as members of the U.S. Air Forces in Europe, America's Overseas Arm assigned to NATO. . . Kathleen, who holds the rank of sergeant is a 1965 graduate of Poughkeepsie High School and a former student at Norwalk (Conn.) Community College. . . Charles, brother of Mrs. James H. Burke, Jr. of Emmet, Ark., graduated from Hope High School in 1958. . . the couple was recently reassigned to Spain from South Ruislip Air Station in England.

the County Extension Homemakers sponsored the delegates. . . the program was designed to give each officer leadership training in order that she may better serve her county.

The state Supreme Court, however, will make the final decision on the issue and the vote, conducted by mail, is not binding on the court. The association had petitioned the Supreme Court to hold the election.

The total vote did not include 58 ballots which were eliminated because of irregularities in the manner in which they were cast. Thirty-two of the questioned ballots were not tabulated because the inner ballot envelope was not sealed, nine were not enclosed in a ballot envelope and 17 were not marked correctly.

A committee of the Supreme Court is to review questioned ballots and rule on their legality.

## Red Attacks Expected to Increase

By GEORGE ESPEY  
Associated Press Writer  
SAIGON (AP) — U.S. and South Vietnamese forces were alerted today for increased enemy attacks in observance of two major Vietnamese Communist anniversaries.

Captured enemy documents called for a stepup to mark the 23rd anniversary today of the start of the war that drove the French from Indochina and the ninth anniversary Saturday of the founding of the National Liberation Front, the Viet Cong's political arm.

Salon's sprawling Tan Son Nhut Air Base came under enemy rocket attack today for the first time in 5½ months as Viet Cong gunners slammed four 100-pound rockets into the base before dawn.

Two of the missiles landed in a housing complex where families of South Vietnamese paratroopers and airmen live, killing a Vietnamese woman and wounding 17 persons, five of them children.

The other two rockets hit U.S. military positions on the base, wounding several Americans and causing light damage, spokesmen said.

As dawn broke, South Vietnamese troops began sweeping through the region immediately northwest of Saigon, searching for the launching sites from which the rockets were fired into the air base.

The sounds of air attack could also be heard from the city as bombers cleared a path for American troops maneuvering south of the capital.

It was the third attack in Saigon this week. On Tuesday, Viet Cong terrorists blew up a newspaper printing plant, and the next day a 300-pound rocket destroyed three houses and wounded four civilians.

One official source said there did not appear to be a major drive developing against the capital, but he added the Viet Cong have "the capability of firing rockets into Saigon any time they desire."

The Viet Cong has declared a three-day cease-fire for Christmas beginning next Wednesday. They did the same thing last Christmas—and preceded it by a series of heavy attacks across South Vietnam during the 48 hours before the start of the cease-fire.

Elsewhere: Enemy troops opened fire with machine guns and rocket grenades on a column of armored personnel carriers from the U.S. 25th Division 36 miles northwest of Saigon. Two Americans and 14 of the enemy were reported killed in the three-hour fight, and six Americans were wounded.

The U.S. Command reported 14 enemy rocket and mortar attacks between 8 a.m. Thursday and 8 a.m. today, including the shelling of Tan Son Nhut. Only four of the attacks caused casualties, and five Americans were wounded, the command said.

## Lawyers Are Opposed to Proposal

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — By a vote of 881 against and 821 for lawyers have expressed their opposition to a proposal to require all attorneys licensed to practice in the state to be members of the Arkansas Bar Association.

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## Louisiana Schools Seek More Time

WASHINGTON (AP) — Louisiana school officials have asked the Supreme Court to recall, as a "Christmas present" for whites and blacks, recent desegregation orders.

Instead, they said in a plea filed late Thursday, the court should hold an emergency hearing on the school desegregation situation throughout the entire region—Louisiana, Alabama, Georgia, Mississippi, Florida and Texas.

Should the court agree, school districts could be free of any requirement to desegregate student bodies by Feb. 1. But all schools in the six states could find themselves compelled to desegregate in September.

The Louisiana officials said an order Saturday requiring immediate preparations for desegregation has created "a state of absolute emergency" in West Feliciana, East Feliciana and Concordia parishes.

## Negroes Won't Participate in Parade

FORREST CITY, Ark. (AP) — Negroes have decided not to participate in a Christmas parade here Saturday that was to include blacks and whites.

Negro leaders were scheduled to meet with whites Thursday night to finalize plans for the parade, but they did not appear.

The Christmas parade scheduled for Dec. 13 by the Lions Club was canceled because of the fear of violence to Negro units in the parade.

Dr. Norman Saliba, one of the organizers of Saturday's parade, said Thursday he did not know how many persons would be in the parade.